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### UNOFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

#### MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION OF THE LINIYAGALA TEA SYNDICATE, LIMITED.

1. The name of the Company is "LINIYAGALA TEA SYNDICATE, LIMITED."
2. The registered office of the Company is to be established in Colombo.
3. The objects for which the Company is to be established are—
  - (a) To purchase from the proprietors thereof the Liniyagala estate, situated in the Kelani Valley district, in the Western Province, in the Island of Ceylon.
  - (b) To purchase, lease, take in exchange, hire, or otherwise acquire any other land or lands, or any share or shares thereof, and any buildings, mines, minerals, mining and mineral properties and rights, machinery, implements, tools, live and dead stock, stores, effects, and other property, real or personal, movable or immovable, of any kind, and any rights, easements, patents, licenses, or privileges in Ceylon or elsewhere (including the benefit of any trade mark or trade secret which may be thought necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Company's business), and to erect, construct, maintain, or alter any buildings, machinery, plant, roads, ways, or other works, or methods of communication.
  - (c) To appoint, engage, employ, maintain, provide for, and dismiss attorneys, agents, superintendents, managers, clerks, coolies, and other labourers and servants in Ceylon or elsewhere, and to remunerate any such at such rate as shall be thought fit, and to grant pensions or gratuities to any such or the widow or children of any such.
  - (d) To clear, open, plant, cultivate, improve, and develop the said property or any portion thereof, and any other land or lands that may be purchased, leased, or otherwise acquired by the Company in Ceylon or elsewhere, or portions thereof, as a tea and rubber estate or estates, or with any other products, trees, plants, or crops that may be approved by the Company, and to plant, grow, and produce rubber, coconuts, tea, coffee, cinchona, cacao, cardamoms, rhea, ramie plants, trees, and other natural products in Ceylon or elsewhere.
  - (e) To build, make, construct, equip, maintain, improve, alter, and work rubber and tea factories, coconut and coffee curing mills and other manufactories, buildings, erections, roads, tramways, or other works conducive to any of the Company's objects, or to contribute to or subsidize such.
  - (f) To enter into any arrangement or agreement with Government or any authorities and obtain rights, concessions, and privileges.
  - (g) To hire, lease, or purchase land either with any other person or company or otherwise, and to erect a factory and other buildings thereon or on any land already leased or owned by the Company at the cost of the Company and such other person or company or otherwise.

- (h) To lease any factory or other buildings from any company or person.
- (i) To enter into any agreement with any company or person for the working of any factory erected or leased as provided in (g) or (h), or for the manufacture and preparation for market of tea, rubber, or any other produce in such or any other factory.
- (j) To prepare, cure, manufacture, treat, and prepare for market rubber, plumbago, minerals, tea, and (or) other crops or produce, and to sell, ship, and dispose of such rubber, plumbago, minerals, tea, crops, and produce, either raw or manufactured, at such times and places and in such manner as shall be deemed expedient.
- (k) To buy, sell, warehouse, transport, trade, and deal in rubber, coconuts, tea, coffee, and other plants and seed, and rice and other food required for coolies, labourers, and others employed on estates, and other products, wares, merchandise, articles, and things of any kind whatsoever.
- (l) To work mines or quarries, and to find, win, get, work, crush, smelt, manufacture, or otherwise deal with ores, metals, minerals, oils, precious and other stones, deposits, and products, and generally to carry on the business of miners, manufacturers, growers, planters, and exporters of rubber and other products, or any such business on behalf of the Company or as agents for others and on commission or otherwise.
- (m) To establish and carry on a dairy farm, and to buy and sell live stock, and to sell and deal in milk and dairy produce, wholesale or retail.
- (n) To establish and maintain in the United Kingdom, Ceylon, or elsewhere stores, shops, and places for the sale of rubber, tea, coffee, cacao, and articles of food, drink, or refreshment, wholesale or retail; and to establish in any part or parts of the world agencies for carrying on or developing the business of the Company or any branch thereof; and generally to carry on the business of merchants, exporters, importers, traders, engineers, or any other trade, business, or undertaking whatsoever.
- (o) To cultivate, manage, and superintend estates and properties in Ceylon or elsewhere, and generally to undertake the business of estate agents in Ceylon and elsewhere, to act as agents for the investment, loan, payment, transmission, and collection of money, and for the purchase, sale, improvement, development, and management of property, including concerns and undertakings, and to transact any other agency business of any kind.
- (p) To let, lease, sell, exchange, or mortgage the Company's estates, lands, buildings, or other property or any part or parts thereof, whether in consideration of rents, money, or securities for money, shares, debentures, or securities in any other company or for any other consideration, and otherwise to trade in, dispose of, or deal with the same or any part thereof.
- (q) To borrow or receive on loan money for the purposes of the Company upon the security of cash, credit bonds, or hypothecation or mortgages of the Company's property or any part or parts thereof or otherwise, as shall be thought most expedient, and in particular by the issue of debentures, debenture stock, or bonds to bearer or otherwise, either charged upon all or any part of the Company's present or future property (including uncalled capital) or not so charged, as shall be thought best.
- (r) To cause or permit any debenture stock, bonds, debentures, mortgages, charges, incumbrances, liens, or securities of or belonging to or made or issued by the Company or affecting its property or rights or any of the terms thereof to be renewed, extended, varied, redeemed, exchanged, transferred, or satisfied, as shall be thought fit, also to pay off and re-borrow the moneys secured thereby or any part or parts thereof.
- (s) To draw, make, accept, and endorse bills of lading, warrants, bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other transferable or negotiable instruments for the purposes of the Company.
- (t) To unite, co-operate, amalgamate, or enter into partnership or any arrangement for sharing profits of union of interests or any other arrangement with any person or company already engaged in or hereafter to be established for the purpose of carrying on any business having objects wholly or in part similar or analogous or subsidiary to those of the Company or to any of them, or capable of being conducted so as to benefit this Company either directly or indirectly, and to subscribe for or otherwise acquire for the benefit and in the name of the Company or otherwise and pay for in any manner that may be agreed upon, either in money or in shares or bonds or otherwise, and to hold any shares, stock, or other interest in any such company, and to promote the formation of any such company.
- (u) To amalgamate with any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to this Company.
- (v) To acquire by purchase in money, shares, bonds, or otherwise, and undertake all or any part of the business, property, assets, and liabilities of any person or company carrying on any business in Ceylon or elsewhere which this Company is authorized to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the purposes of this Company.
- (w) To sell the property, business, or undertaking of the Company, or any part or parts thereof, for such consideration as the Company shall think fit, and in particular for shares, stocks, debentures, or securities of any other company.
- (x) To procure the Company to be registered or incorporated in Ceylon, and, if and when necessary or thought advisable, elsewhere.
- (y) To lend money on any terms and in any manner and on any security, and in particular on the security of plantations, factories, growing crops, produce, bills of exchange, promissory notes, bonds, bills of lading, warrants, stocks, shares, debentures, and book debts, or without any security at all, and generally to transact financial business of any kind.
- (z) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required upon such securities and in such manner as may from time to time be determined.
- (z 1) To promote and establish any other company whatsoever, and to subscribe to and hold the shares or stock of any other company or any part thereof.
- (z 2) To pay for any lands and real or personal, immovable or movable, estate or property or assets of any kind acquired or to be acquired by the Company, or for any services rendered or to be rendered to the Company, and generally to pay or discharge any consideration to be paid or given by the Company in money or in shares or debentures or debenture stock or obligations of the Company, or partly in one way and partly in another, or otherwise howsoever with power to issue any shares either fully or partially paid up for such purpose.
- (z 3) To accept as consideration for the sale or disposal of any lands and real and personal, immovable and movable, estate, property, and assets of the Company of any kind sold or otherwise disposed of by the Company or in discharge of any other consideration to be received by the Company in money or in shares, the shares (whether wholly or partially paid up) of any company, or the mortgages, debentures, or obligations of any company or person or partly one and partly other.
- (z 4) To distribute among the Shareholders in specie any property of the Company, whether by way of dividend or upon a return of capital, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made, except with the sanction for the time being required by law.

(z 5) To do all such other things as shall be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects above mentioned or any of them or any one or more of the objects aforesaid, it being hereby declared that in the foregoing clauses (unless a contrary intention appears) the word "Company" includes companies or corporations, and the word "person" any number of persons, and that the other objects specified in any paragraph are not to be limited or restricted by reference to or inference from any other paragraph.

4. The liability of the Shareholders is limited.

5. The nominal capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees, divided into Ten thousand shares of Fifty Rupees each, with power to increase or reduce the capital. The shares forming the capital (original, increased, or reduced) of the Company, may be subdivided or consolidated or divided into such classes with any preferential, deferred, qualified, special, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, and be held upon such terms as may be prescribed by the Articles of Association and Regulations of the Company for the time being, or otherwise.

We, the several persons whose names and addresses are subscribed, are desirous of being formed into a Company in accordance with this Memorandum of Association, and we respectively agree to take the number of shares in the capital of the Company set opposite our respective names :—

Names and Addresses of Subscribers.	Number of Shares taken by each Subscriber.
J. J. DICKSON, Colombo .. .. .	One
Witness to the above signature, at Colombo, this 2nd day of November, 1916—	
V. A. JULIUS, Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.	s
H. S. JEAFFRESON, Colombo .. .. .	One
EDWARD AITKEN (by his attorney H. S. JEAFFRESON). Colombo .. .. .	One
R. FOWKE, Colombo .. .. .	One
Witness to the above three signatures, at Colombo, this 3rd day of November, 1916—	
V. A. JULIUS, Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.	s
W. E. M. PATERSON, Colombo .. .. .	One
A. J. HOWARD-SMITH, Colombo .. .. .	One
G. ROSS BELL, Colombo .. .. .	One
Total number of Shares taken ..	Seven
Witness to the above three signatures, at Colombo, this 6th day of November, 1916—	
V. A. JULIUS, Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.	s

#### ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF THE LINIYAGALA TEA SYNDICATE, LIMITED.

THE regulations contained in the Table C in the schedule annexed to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," shall not apply to this Company, which shall be governed by the regulations contained in these Articles, but subject to repeal, addition, or alteration by special resolution.

The Company may, by special resolution, alter and make provisions instead of, or in addition to, any of the regulations of the Company, whether contained and comprised in these Articles or not.

#### INTERPRETATION CLAUSE.

1. In the interpretation of these presents the following words and expressions shall have the following meanings, unless such meanings be inconsistent with, or repugnant to, the subject or context, viz. :—

The word "Company" means "The Liniyagala Tea Syndicate, Limited," incorporated or established by or under the Memorandum of Association to which these Articles are attached.

"The Ordinance" means and includes "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," and every other Ordinance from time to time in force concerning Joint Stock Companies which may apply to the Company.

"These presents" means and includes the Memorandum of Association and the Articles of Association of the Company from time to time in force.

"Capital" means the capital for the time being raised or authorized to be raised for the purposes of the Company.

"Shares" means the shares from time to time into which the capital of the Company may be divided.

"Shareholder" means every person who has accepted any share or who has accepted part of a share jointly with another or others whose name is entered on the register of Shareholders as owner or joint-owner of such share.

"Presence or present" at a meeting means presence or present personally or by proxy or by attorney.

"Directors" means the Directors for the time being of the Company or (as the case may be) the Directors assembled at a Board.

"Board" means a meeting of the Directors or (as the context may require) the Directors assembled at a Board Meeting, acting through at least a quorum of their body in the exercise of authority duly given to them.

"Persons" means partnerships, associations, corporations, companies, unincorporated or incorporated by Ordinance and registration, as well as individuals.

"Office" means the registered office for the time being of the Company.

"Seal" means the common seal for the time being of the Company.

"Month" means a calendar month.

"Writing" means printed matter or print as well as writing.

Words importing the singular number only include the plural, and *vice versa*.

Words importing the masculine gender only include the feminine, and *vice versa*.

"Holder" means a Shareholder.

#### BUSINESS.

2. The Company may proceed to carry out the objects for which it is established, and to employ and apply its capital as soon after the registration of the Company as the Directors in their discretion shall think fit; and if the whole of the shares shall not have been subscribed, applied for, or allotted as soon as, in the judgment of the Directors, a sufficient number of shares shall have been subscribed or applied for.

3. The business of the Company shall be carried on by, or under the management or direction of, the Directors, and subject only to the control of General Meetings in accordance with these presents.

## CAPITAL.

4. The original capital of the Company is Five hundred thousand Rupees (Rs. 500,000), divided into Ten thousand shares of Rupees Fifty (Rs. 50) each.

5. The Directors may, with the sanction of a special resolution of the Company in General Meeting, increase the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares of such amounts per share and in the aggregate and with such special, preferential, deferred, qualified, or other rights, privileges, or conditions attached thereto, as such resolution shall direct, and they shall have power to add to such new shares such an amount of premium as may be considered expedient.

6. Except so far as otherwise provided by the conditions of issue or by these presents, any capital raised by the creation of new shares shall be considered part of the original capital, and shall be subject to the same provisions in all respects with reference to the payments of allotment money, calls, and instalments, transfer, transmission, forfeiture, lien, surrender, and otherwise, as if it had formed part of the original capital.

7. The Directors may in like manner, and with like sanction, reduce the capital or subdivide or consolidate the shares of the Company.

## SHARES.

8. The Company may call up the balance capital whenever the Directors shall think fit, and may make arrangements on the issue of shares for a difference between the holders of such shares in the amount of calls to be paid and the time of payment of such calls.

9. If by the conditions of allotment of any share the whole or part of the amount thereof shall be payable by instalments, every such instalment shall, when due, be paid to the Company by the holder of the shares.

10. The shares, except when otherwise provided, shall be allotted at the discretion of and by the Directors, who may from time to time issue any unissued shares, and may add to such shares such an amount of premium as they consider proper. Provided that such unissued shares shall first be offered by the Directors to Angus Edward Ogilvy of Hopton estate, Lunugala, John Boyd Coles of Nilambe estate, Galaha, Leslie Archdale of Lassahena estate, Dehiowita, and Henry Seymour Jeaffreson of Colombo, the original vendors of Liniyagala estate to the Company and any shares not accepted by them within one month of the date of such offer shall then be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands, being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands or as remuneration for work done for or services rendered to the Company and that without offering the shares so allotted to the Shareholders.

11. In case of the increase of the capital of the Company by the creation of new shares, such new shares shall be issued upon such terms and conditions, and with such preferential, deferred, qualified, special or other rights and privileges annexed thereto, as the General Meeting resolving on the creation thereof, or any other General Meeting of the Company, shall direct; and if no direction be given, as the Directors shall determine, and in particular such shares may be issued with a preferential or qualified right to the dividends, and in the distribution of assets of the Company and with a special or without any right of voting.

Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the Shareholders in proportion to the existing shares held by them; and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of shares to which the Shareholder is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined; and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the Shareholder to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the shares offered, the same shall be disposed of in such manner as the Directors may determine. Provided that the Directors may, at their discretion, allot such new shares or any portion of them to the vendor or vendors of any estates or lands being acquired by the Company in payment of the whole or any part of the purchase price of any such estates or lands, and that without offering the share so allotted to the Shareholders.

12. Every person taking any share in the Company shall testify his acceptance thereof by writing under his hand in such form as the Company may from time to time direct.

13. Shares may be registered in the name of a firm, and any partner of the firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm shall be entitled to vote and to give proxies.

14. Shares may be registered in the names of two or more persons not in partnership.

15. Any one of the joint-holders of a share other than a firm may give effectual receipts for any dividends payable in respect of such share; but only one of such joint-shareholders shall be entitled to the right of voting and of giving proxies and exercising the other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, and if the joint-holders cannot arrange amongst themselves as to who shall vote or give proxies and exercise such other rights and powers conferred on a sole Shareholder, the Shareholder whose name stands first on the register of shares shall vote or give proxies and exercise those rights and powers; provided, however, that in the event of such first registered Shareholder being absent from the Island, the first registered Shareholder then resident in Ceylon shall vote or give proxies and exercise all such rights and powers as aforesaid.

16. In case of the death of any one or more of the joint-holders of any shares, the survivor or survivors shall be the only person or persons recognized by the Company as having any title to, or interest in, such shares.

17. The Company shall not be bound to recognize (even though having notice of) any contingent, future, partial, or equitable interest in the nature of a trust or otherwise in any share, or any other right in respect of any share, except any absolute right thereto in the person from time to time registered as the holder thereof, and except also the right of any person under clause 36 to become a Shareholder in respect of any share.

18. The joint-holders of a share shall be severally as well as jointly liable for the payment of all instalments and calls due in respect of such share.

19. Every Shareholder shall be entitled to a certificate or certificates under the common seal of the Company, specifying the share or shares held by him and the amount paid thereon.

20. If any certificate be worn out or defaced, then, upon production thereof to the Directors, they may order the same to be cancelled and may issue a new certificate in lieu thereof; and if any certificate be lost or destroyed, then, upon proof thereof to the satisfaction of the Directors, and on such indemnity as the Directors deem adequate being given, a new certificate in lieu thereof shall be given to the person entitled to such lost or destroyed certificate.

21. The certificate of shares registered in the names of two or more persons not a firm shall be delivered to the person first named on the register.

## CALLS.

22. The Directors may, from time to time, make such calls as they think fit upon the Shareholders in respect of all moneys unpaid on their shares, and not by the conditions of allotment made payable at fixed times; provided that two months' notice at least shall be given to the Shareholders of the time and place appointed for payment of each call; and each Shareholder shall pay the amount of every call so made to the person and at the time and place appointed by the Directors.

23. If any Shareholder fail to pay the amount of any call due by him on or before the day appointed for payment thereof, he shall be liable to pay interest for the same at the rate of nine per centum per annum from the day appointed for the payment thereof to the time of actual payment.

24. A call shall be deemed to have been made at the time when the resolution of the Directors authorizing the call was passed.

25. The Directors shall have power in their absolute discretion to give time to any one or more Shareholder or Shareholders, exclusive of the others, for payment of any call, or part thereof, on such terms as the Directors may determine. But no Shareholder shall be entitled to any such extension except as a matter of grace or favour.

26. The Directors may at their discretion receive from any of the Shareholders willing to advance the same, and upon such terms as they think fit, all or any part of the moneys due upon their respective shares beyond the sums actually called for; and upon the moneys so paid in advance, or upon so much thereof as from time to time and at any time thereafter exceeds the amount of the calls then made upon, and due in respect of the shares in respect of which such advances have been made, the Board may pay or allow interest at such rate as the Shareholders paying such sums in advance, and the Directors may agree upon not exceeding, however, six per centum per annum.

#### TRANSFER OF SHARES.

27. Subject to the restriction of these Articles any Shareholder may transfer all or any of his shares by instrument in writing.

28. No transfer of shares shall be made to an infant or person of unsound mind.

29. The Company shall keep a book or books to be called "The Register of Transfers," in which shall be entered the particulars of every transfer or transmission of any share.

30. The Board may, at their own absolute and uncontrolled discretion, decline to register any transfer of shares by a Shareholder who is indebted to the Company, or upon whose shares the Company have a lien or otherwise; or in case of shares not fully paid up to any person not approved by them; and in no case shall a Shareholder or proposed transferee be entitled to require the Directors to state the reason of their refusal to register, but their declinature shall be absolute.

31. Every instrument of transfer must be left at the office of the Company to be registered, accompanied by such evidence as the Directors may reasonably require to prove the title of the transferor, and a fee of two rupees and cents fifty, or such other sum as the Directors shall from time to time determine, must be paid to the Company for the registration of every such transfer, upon payment whereof the Directors, subject to the powers vested in them by Article 30, shall register the transferee as a Shareholder, and retain the instrument of transfer.

32. The Directors may, by such means as they shall deem expedient, authorize the registration of transferees as Shareholders, without the necessity of any meeting of the Directors for that purpose.

33. In no case shall the Directors be bound to inquire into the validity, legal effect, or genuineness of any instrument or transfer produced by a person claiming a transfer of any share in accordance with these Articles; and whether they abstain from so inquiring, or do so inquire and are misled, the transferor shall have no claim whatsoever upon the Company in respect of the share, except for the dividends previously declared in respect thereof, but only, if at all, upon the transferee only.

34. The Register of Transfers may be closed during the fourteen days immediately preceding each Ordinary General Meeting; and when a dividend is declared, for the three days next ensuing after the meeting; also at such other times (if any) and for such periods as the Directors may from time to time determine, provided always that it shall not be closed for more than twenty-one days in any year.

#### TRANSMISSION OF SHARES.

35. The executors, or administrators, or the heirs of a deceased Shareholder shall be the only persons recognized by the Company as having any title to the shares of such Shareholder.

36. Any guardian of any infant Shareholder, or any committee of a lunatic Shareholder, or any person becoming entitled to shares in consequence of the death, bankruptcy, or liquidation of any Shareholder, or the marriage of any female Shareholder, or in any other way than by transfer shall, upon securing such evidence that he sustains the character in respect of which he proposes to act under this clause, or of his title, as the Directors think sufficient, be forthwith entitled, subject to the provisions herein contained, to be registered as a Shareholder in respect of such shares; or may, subject to the regulations as to transfers hereinbefore contained, transfer the same to some other person.

37. If any person who shall become entitled to be registered in respect of any share under clause 35 shall not, from any cause whatever, within twelve calendar months after the event on the happening of which his title shall accrue, be registered in respect of such share, or if in the case of the death of any Shareholder no person shall, within twelve calendar months after such death, be registered as a Shareholder in respect of the shares of such deceased Shareholder, the Company may sell such shares, either by public auction or private contract, and give a receipt for the purchase money, and the purchaser shall be entitled to be registered in respect of such share, and shall not be bound to inquire whether the events have happened which entitled the Company to sell the same, and the nett proceeds of such sale, after deducting all expenses and all moneys in respect of which the Company is entitled to a lien on the shares so sold, shall be paid to the person entitled thereto.

#### SURRENDER AND FORFEITURE OF SHARES.

38. The Directors may accept, in the name and for the benefit of the Company, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed, a surrender of the shares of Shareholders who may be desirous of retiring from the Company.

39. If any Shareholder fails to pay any call or instalment on or before the day appointed for the payment of the same, the Directors may at any time thereafter, during such time as the call or instalment remains unpaid, serve a notice on such Shareholder requiring him to pay the same, together with any interest that may have accrued, and all expenses that may have been incurred by the Company by reason of such non-payment.

The notice shall name a day (not being less than one month from the date of the notice) on, and a place or places at, which such call or instalment and such interest and expenses as aforesaid are to be paid. The notice shall also state that in the event of non-payment at or before the time and at the place appointed, the shares in respect of which the call was made or instalment is payable will be liable to be forfeited.

If the requisition of such notice as aforesaid be not complied with, every or any share or shares in respect of which such notice has been given may at any time thereafter, before payment of calls or instalments with interest and expenses due in respect thereof, be declared forfeited by a resolution of the Board to that effect.

40. Any Shareholder whose shares have been so declared forfeited shall, notwithstanding, be liable to pay, and shall forthwith pay to the Company, all calls, instalments, interest, and expenses owing upon or in respect of such shares at the time of the forfeiture, together with interest thereon from the time of forfeiture until payment at nine per centum per annum, and the Directors may enforce the payment thereof if they think fit.

41. Every share surrendered or so declared forfeited shall be deemed to be the property of the Company, and may be sold, re-allotted, or otherwise disposed of upon such terms and in such manner as the Board shall think fit.

42. The surrender or forfeiture of a share shall involve the extinction of all interest in, and also of all claims and demands against the Company in respect of the share and the proceeds thereof, and all other rights incident to the share, except only such of those rights (if any) as by these presents are expressly saved.

43. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary that a share has been duly surrendered or forfeited, stating the time when it was surrendered or forfeited, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated as against all persons who would have been entitled to the share but for such surrender or forfeiture, and such certificate and the receipt of the Company for the price of such share shall constitute a good title to such share, and a certificate of proprietorship shall be delivered to any person who may purchase the same from the Company, and thereupon such purchaser shall be deemed the holder of such share, discharged from all calls due prior to such purchase; and he shall not be bound to see to the application of the purchase money, nor shall his title to such share be affected by any irregularity in the proceedings in reference to such forfeiture or sale.

The Directors may in their discretion remit or annul the forfeiture of any share within six months from the date thereof upon the payment of all moneys due to the Company from the late holder or holders of such share or shares, and all expenses incurred in relation to such forfeiture, together with such further sum of money, by way of redemption money for the deficit, as they shall think fit, not being less than nine per centum per annum on the amount of the sums wherein default in payment had been made, but no share *bona fide* sold or re-allotted or otherwise disposed of under Article 41 hereof shall be redeemable after sale or disposal.

44. The Company shall have a first charge or paramount lien upon all the shares of any holder or joint-holders for all moneys for the time being due to the Company by such holder or by all or any of such joint-holders respectively, either in respect of such shares or of other shares held by such holder or joint-holders or otherwise, and whether due from any such holder individually or jointly with others, including all calls which the Directors shall have resolved to make, although the times appointed for the payment thereof shall not have arrived; and where any share is held by more persons than one, the Company shall be entitled to the said charge or lien in respect of any money due to the Company from any of such persons; and the Directors may decline to register any transfer of shares subject to such charge or lien.

45. Such charge or lien may be made available by a sale of all or any of the shares subject to it, provided that no such sale shall be made except under a resolution of the Directors, and until notice in writing shall have been given to the indebted Shareholder or his executors or administrators, or the assignee or trustee in his bankruptcy, requiring him or them to pay the amount for the time being due to the Company, and default shall have been made for twenty-eight days from such notice in paying the sum thereby required to be paid. Should the Shareholder over whose share the lien exists be in England or elsewhere abroad, sixty days' notice shall be allowed him.

46. The nett proceeds of any such sale shall be applied in or towards satisfaction of such debts, liabilities, or engagements, and the residue (if any) paid to such Shareholder or his representatives.

47. A certificate in writing under the hands of one of the Directors and of the Secretary, that the power of sale given by clause 45 has arisen, and is exercisable by the Company under these presents, shall be conclusive evidence of the facts therein stated.

48. Upon any such sale two of the Directors may execute a transfer of such share to the purchaser thereof, and such transfer, with the certificate last aforesaid, shall confer on the purchaser a complete title to such shares.

#### PREFERENCE SHARES.

49. Any shares from time to time to be issued or created may from time to time be issued with any such right or preference, whether in respect of dividend or of payment of capital, or both, or any such other special privilege or advantage over any shares previously issued, or then about to be issued (other than shares issued with a preference), or at such a premium, or with such deferred rights as compared with any shares previously issued, or then about to be issued, or subject to any such conditions or provisions, and with any such right, or without any right of voting, and generally on such terms as the Company may from time to time by special resolution determine.

50. If at any time, by the issue of preference shares or otherwise, the capital is divided into shares of different classes, then the holders of any class of shares may, by an extraordinary resolution passed at a meeting of such holders consent, on behalf of all the holders of shares of the class, to the issue or creation of any shares ranking equally therewith, or having any priority thereto, or to the abandonment of any preference or priority, or of any accrued dividend, or the reduction for any time or permanently of the dividends payable thereon, or to any scheme for the reduction of the Company's capital affecting the class of shares, and such resolution shall be binding upon all the holders of shares of the class, provided that this Article shall not be read as implying the necessity for such consent in any case in which, but for this Article, the object of the resolutions could have been effected without it.

51. Any meeting for the purpose of the last preceding clause shall be convened and conducted in all respects as nearly as possible in the same way as an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, provided that no member, not being a Director, shall be entitled to notice thereof or to attend thereat, unless he be a holder of shares of the class intended to be affected by the resolution, and that no vote shall be given except in respect of a share of that class, and that at any such meeting a poll may be demanded in writing by any members personally present and entitled to vote at the meeting.

#### BORROWING POWERS.

52. The Directors shall have power to procure from time to time, in the usual course of business, such temporary advances on the produce in hand, or in the future to be obtained from the Company's estates, as they may find necessary or expedient for the purpose of defraying the expenses of working the Company's estates, or of erecting, maintaining, improving, or extending buildings, machinery, or plantations, or otherwise. Also from time to time at their discretion to borrow or raise from the Directors or other persons any sum or sums of money for the purposes of the Company, provided that the money so borrowed or raised and owing at any one time shall not, without the sanction of a General Meeting, exceed Thirty thousand Rupees (Rs. 30,000).

53. With the sanction of a General Meeting the Board shall be entitled to borrow such further sum or sums and at such rate of interest as such meeting shall determine. A certificate under the hands of one Director and the Secretary, or of two Directors, to the effect that in taking any loan the Directors are not exceeding their borrowing powers, shall be sufficient and binding on the Company and all concerned, and shall be conclusive evidence thereof in all questions between the Company and its creditors.

54. For the purpose of securing the repayment of any such moneys so borrowed or raised, or for any other purposes, the Directors may grant, create, execute, and issue any mortgages, cash credits, debentures, debenture stock, bonds, or obligations of the Company, charged upon all or any part of the undertaking, revenue, lands, property, rights, and assets of the Company, both present and future, including uncalled capital or unpaid calls, or may make, accept, or endorse on behalf of the Company any promissory notes or bills of exchange.

55. Any such securities may be issued, either at par or at a premium or discount, and may from time to time be cancelled, or discharged, varied, or exchanged, as the Directors may think fit, and may contain special privileges as to redemption, surrender, drawings, allotment of shares, or otherwise.

56. Every debenture or other instrument issued by the Company for securing the payment of money may be so framed that the moneys thereby secured shall be assignable free from any equities between the Company and the person to whom the same may be issued.

## GENERAL MEETINGS.

57. The first General Meeting shall be held at such time, not being more than twelve months after the incorporation of the Company, and at such place as the Directors may determine.

58. Subsequent General Meetings shall be held once in every year at such time and place as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting, and if no time or place is so prescribed, then at such place and at such time as soon after the first day in each year as may be determined by the Directors.

59. The General Meetings mentioned in the last preceding clause shall be called Ordinary General Meetings; all other meetings of the Company shall be called Extraordinary General Meetings.

60. The Directors may, whenever they think fit, call an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, and the Directors shall do so upon a requisition made in writing by not less than one-eighth of the number of Shareholders of the Company for the time being, or by any Shareholder or Shareholders holding in the aggregate one-eighth part of the shares of the Company for the time being subscribed for.

61. Any requisition so made shall express the object of the meeting proposed to be called, shall be addressed to the Directors, and shall be sent to the registered office of the Company.

Upon the receipt of such requisition the Directors shall forthwith proceed to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting, to be held at such time and place as they shall determine. If they do not proceed to convene the same within seven days from the delivery of the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene an Extraordinary General Meeting to be held at such place and at such time as the Shareholders convening the meeting may themselves fix.

62. Any Shareholder may, on giving not less than ten days' previous notice of any resolution, submit the same to a meeting.

63. Such notice shall be given by leaving a copy of the resolution at the registered office of the Company.

64. Seven days' notice at least of every General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, and by whomsoever convened, specifying the place, date, hour of meeting, and the object and business of the meeting, shall be given by advertisement in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, or in such other manner (if any) as may be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting.

65. Every Ordinary General Meeting shall be competent, without special notice having been given of the purposes for which it is convened, or of the business to be transacted thereat, to receive and discuss any report and any accounts presented thereto by the Directors and to pass resolutions in approval or disapproval thereof, and to declare dividends, and to elect Directors and Auditors in the place of those retiring by rotation, and to fix the remuneration of the Auditors, and shall also be competent to enter upon, discuss, and transact any business whatsoever, of which special mention shall have been given in the notice or notices upon which the meeting was convened.

66. With the exceptions mentioned in the foregoing Articles as to the business which may be transacted at Ordinary General Meetings without notice, no General Meeting, Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be competent to enter upon, discuss, or transact any business which has not been specially mentioned in the notice or notices upon which it was convened.

67. No business shall be transacted at any General Meeting except the declaration of a dividend recommended by a report of the Directors or election of a Chairman, unless there shall be present or represented at the commencement of the business three or more Shareholders entitled to vote.

68. If at the expiration of half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting the required number of Shareholders shall not be present at the meeting, the meeting, if convened by or upon the requisition of Shareholders, shall be dissolved, but in any other case it shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place; and if at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those Shareholders who are present shall be a quorum, and may transact the business for which the meeting was called.

69. The Chairman (if any) of the Directors shall be entitled to take the Chair at every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary; or if there be no Chairman, or if at any meeting he shall not be present at the time appointed for holding such meeting, or if he shall refuse to take the Chair, the Shareholders shall choose another Director as Chairman; and if no Directors be present or if all the Directors present decline to take the Chair, then the Shareholders present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman.

70. No business shall be discussed at any General Meeting except the election of a Chairman whilst the Chair is vacant.

71. The Chairman may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn any meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place, unless due notice thereof shall be given.

72. Minutes of the proceedings of every General Meeting, whether Ordinary or Extraordinary, shall be entered in a book to be kept for that purpose, and shall when so entered be signed as soon as practicable by the Chairman of the same meeting or by the Chairman of the succeeding meeting, and the same when so entered and signed shall be evidence of all such proceedings and of the proper election of the Chairman.

## VOTING AT MEETINGS.

73. At any meeting every resolution shall be decided by a show of hands, and in case there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman at such meeting shall be entitled to give a casting vote in addition to the vote to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder; and unless a poll be immediately demanded by some member or in the case of a special resolution by five members present and entitled to vote, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has been carried, and an entry to that effect in the Minute Book of the Company, shall be sufficient evidence of the fact without proof of the number or proportion of votes recorded in favour of or against such resolution.

74. If at any meeting a poll be demanded by some Shareholder or in case of a special resolution by five Shareholders present at the meeting and entitled to vote, the meeting shall, if necessary, be adjourned, and the poll shall be taken at such time and place and in such manner as the Chairman shall direct, and in such case every Shareholder shall have the number of votes to which he may be entitled as hereinafter provided, and in case at any such poll there shall be an equality of votes, the Chairman of the meeting at which such poll shall have been demanded shall be entitled to a casting vote in addition to any votes to which he may be entitled as a Shareholder and proxy, and the result of such poll shall be deemed to be the resolution of the Company in such meeting.

75. The demand of a poll shall not prevent the continuance of a meeting for the transaction of business other than the question on which a poll has been demanded.

76. No poll shall be demanded on the election of a Chairman of the meeting or on any question of adjournment.

77. On a show of hands every Shareholder present in person shall have one vote only. Where a Shareholder is present by an attorney who is not a Shareholder such attorney shall be entitled to vote for such Shareholder on a show of hands. In case of a poll every Shareholder present in person or by proxy or attorney shall (except as provided for in the Article immediately following) have one vote for every share held by him up to ten shares; he shall have an additional vote for every ten shares held by him beyond the first ten shares up to one hundred shares; and he shall have an additional vote for every twenty-five shares held by him beyond the first one hundred shares. When voting on a special resolution or a resolution involving the sale of the Company's estates or any portion thereof or the winding up of the

Company, every Shareholder shall have one vote for every one share held by him, and a majority of three-fourths of the Shareholders present or represented by proxy or attorney shall be necessary to carry such resolution.

78. The parent or guardian of an infant Shareholder, the Committee or other legal guardian of any lunatic Shareholder, the husband of any female Shareholder not entitled to her shares as separate estate, and the executor or administrator of any deceased Shareholder, or any one of such persons as aforesaid, if more than one, shall not be entitled to vote in the place of such infant, lunatic, female, or deceased person, unless such person shall have been registered as a Shareholder.

79. Votes may be given either personally or by proxy or by attorney duly authorized.

80. No Shareholder shall be entitled to vote at any meeting unless all calls due from him on his shares have been paid, and no Shareholder other than the trustee or assignee of a bankrupt or representative of a deceased Shareholder, or person acquiring by marriage, shall be entitled to vote at any meeting held after the expiration of one month from the registration of the Company, in respect of any share which he has acquired by transfer, unless he has been possessed of the share in respect of which he claims to vote at least one month previously to the time of holding the meeting at which he proposes to vote.

81. No Shareholder who has not been duly registered as such for three months previous to the General Meeting shall be entitled to be present and to speak and vote at any meeting held after the expiry of three months from the incorporation of the Company.

82. No person shall be entitled to hold a proxy who is not a Shareholder in or the liquidator of the Company, but this rule does not apply to a power of attorney.

83. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be printed or written and shall be signed by the appointor, or if such appointor be a company or corporation, it shall be under the common seal of such company or corporation.

84. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be deposited at the registered office of the Company not less than twenty-four hours before the time appointed for holding the meeting at which the person named in such instrument proposes to vote.

The instrument appointing a proxy may be in the following form:—

*(The Liniyagala Tea Syndicate, Limited.)*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, appoint \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_ (a Shareholder in the Company), as my proxy to represent me and to vote for me and on my behalf at the Ordinary (or Extraordinary, as the case may be) General Meeting of the Company to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_, and at any adjournment thereof, and at every poll which may be taken in consequence thereof.

As witness my hand, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, One thousand Nine hundred and \_\_\_\_\_.

85. No objection shall be made to the validity of any vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney), except at the meeting or poll at which such vote shall be tendered, and every vote (whether given personally or by proxy or by attorney) to which no objection shall be made at such meeting or poll shall be deemed valid for all purposes of such meeting or poll whatsoever.

86. No Shareholder shall be prevented from voting by reason of his being personally interested in the result of the voting.

#### DIRECTORS.

87. The number of Directors shall never be less than two nor more than five, but this clause shall be construed as being directory only, and the continuing Directors may act notwithstanding any number of vacancies.

The qualification of a Director shall be his holding in his own right at least one fully paid share in the Company upon which all calls for the time being have been paid, and this qualification shall apply as well to the first Directors as to all future Directors.

As a remuneration for their services, the Directors shall be entitled to appropriate a sum not exceeding Two thousand Rupees annually, to be divided between them in such manner as they may determine, but the Company in General Meeting may at any time alter the amount of such remuneration for the future, and such remuneration shall not be considered as including any remuneration for special or extra services hereinafter referred to, nor any extra remuneration to the Managing Directors of the Company.

88. The first Directors shall be Angus Edward Ogilvy, John Boyd Coles, Basil Murray Selwyn, and Henry Seymour Jeffreson who shall hold office till the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company, when they shall all retire, but shall be eligible for re-election.

89. One or more of the Directors may be appointed by the Directors to act as Secretary, Managing Director, or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents of the Company or Superintendents of any of the estates for such time and on such terms as the Directors may determine or may fix by agreement with the person or persons appointed to the office, and they may from time to time revoke such appointment and appoint another or other Secretary, Managing Director, or Managing Directors, and (or) Visiting Agent or Agents or Superintendents.

The Directors may confer on the Managing Director or Managing Directors all or any duties and powers that might be conferred on any Manager of the Company.

If any Director shall be called upon to perform any extra services, the Directors may arrange with such Director for such special remuneration for such services, either by way of salary, commission, or the payment of a lump sum of money, as they shall think fit.

#### ROTATION OF DIRECTORS.

90. At the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company all the Directors shall retire from office, and at the first Ordinary General Meeting in every subsequent year one of the Directors for the time being shall retire from office as provided in clause 91.

91. The Directors to retire from office at the second and third Ordinary General Meetings shall, unless the Directors otherwise arrange among themselves, be determined by ballot; in every subsequent year the Directors to retire shall be those who have been longest in office.

92. In case any question shall arise as to which of the Directors who have been the same time in office shall retire, the same shall be decided by the Directors by ballot.

93. Retiring Directors shall be eligible for re-election.

94. The Ordinary General Meeting at which Directors retire or ought to retire by rotation shall appoint successors to them, and in default thereof, such successors may be appointed at a subsequent Ordinary General Meeting.

95. Any casual vacancy occurring in the number of Directors or provisional Directors arising from death, resignation, or otherwise, may be filled up by the Directors, but any person appointed to fill such vacancy shall retain his office so long only as the vacating Director would have retained the same if no vacancy had occurred.

96. A General Meeting may from time to time, at any time, increase or reduce the number of Directors, and may also determine in what rotation such increased or reduced number is to go out of office,



97. If at any meeting at which an election of a Director ought to take place the place of a retiring Director is not filled up, the retiring Director may continue in office until the first Ordinary General Meeting in the next year, and so on from meeting to meeting until his place is filled up, unless it shall be determined at such meeting to reduce the number of Directors.

98. A Director may at any time give notice in writing of his intention to resign by delivering such notice to the Secretary, or by leaving the same at the registered office of the Company, or by tendering his written resignation at a meeting of the Directors, and on the acceptance of his resignation by the Directors, but not before, his office shall become vacant.

99. The Company may, by a special resolution, remove any Director before the expiration of his period of office, and may, by an ordinary resolution, appoint another person in his stead. The Director so appointed shall hold office only during such time as the Director in whose place he is appointed would have held the same as if he had not been removed.

100. Every Director or officer of the Company, and his heirs, executors, and administrators shall be indemnified by the Company from all losses and expenses incurred by him in or about the discharge of his duties, except such as happen from his wilful acts or defaults; and no Director or officer shall, nor shall the heirs, executors, or administrators of any Director or officer, be liable for the acts or defaults of any other Director or officer, or for any loss or expense happening to the Company by the insufficiency or deficiency of title to any property acquired for, or on behalf of the Company, or for the insufficiency or deficiency of any security in or upon which any of the moneys of the Company shall be invested, or for any loss or damage arising from the bankruptcy, insolvency, or tortious act of any person with whom any moneys, securities, or effects shall be deposited, or for any other loss, damage, or misfortune whatsoever which shall happen in the execution of the duties of his office or in relation thereto, unless the same happen through his own wilful act or default.

101. No contribution shall be required from any present or past Director or Manager exceeding the amount, if any, unpaid on the shares in respect of which he is liable as a present or past Shareholder.

#### DISQUALIFICATION OF DIRECTORS.

102. The office of the Director shall be vacated—

- (a) If he accepts or holds any office or place of profit other than Managing Director, Visiting Agent, Superintendent, or Secretary under the Company.
- (b) If he becomes bankrupt or insolvent, or suspends payment, or files a petition for the liquidation of his affairs, or compounds with his creditors.
- (c) If by reason of mental or bodily infirmity he becomes incapable of acting.
- (d) If he ceases to hold the required number of shares to qualify him for the office.
- (e) If he is concerned or participates in the profits of any contract with, or work done for, the Company.

Provided that no Director shall vacate his office by reason of his being a member of any corporation, company, or firm which has entered into any contract with, or done any work for, the Company of which he is a Director or by his being Agent, or Secretary, or Solicitor, or by his being a member of a firm who are Agents or Secretaries, or Solicitors of the Company; nevertheless, he shall not vote in respect of any contract work or business in which he may be personally interested.

#### POWERS OF DIRECTORS.

103. The Directors shall have power to carry into effect the acquisition of the Liniyagala estate, and the lease purchase, or acquisition of any other lands, estates, or property they may think fit, or any share or shares thereof.

104. The business of the Company shall be managed by the Directors either by themselves or through a Managing Director, or with the assistance of an Agent or Agents and Secretary or Secretaries of the Company to be appointed by the Directors, for such a period and on such terms as they shall determine, and the Directors shall pay out of the funds of the Company all costs and expenses as well preliminary as otherwise, paid or incurred in and about the formation and the registration of the Company, and in and about the valuation, purchase, lease, or acquisition of the said estates and lands, and the opening, clearing, planting, and cultivation thereof and otherwise in or about the working and business of the Company.

105. The Directors shall have power to make, and may make, such rules or regulations for the management of the business and property of the Company as they may from time to time think proper, and shall carry on the business of the Company in such manner as they may think most expedient; and, in addition to the powers and authorities by any Ordinance or by these presents expressly conferred on them, they may exercise all such powers, give all such consents, make all such arrangements, appoint all such agents, managers, secretaries, treasurers, accountants, and other officers, superintendents, assistants, clerks, artisans, labourers, and other servants for such period or periods, and with such remuneration, and at such salaries, and upon such terms and conditions as they may consider advisable, and may pay the expenses occasioned thereby out of the funds of the Company, and may from time to time remove or suspend all or any of the managers, agents, treasurers, accountants, officers, clerks, or servants of the Company for such reasons as they may think proper and advisable, and without assigning any cause for so doing.

106. The Directors shall exercise, in the name and on behalf of the Company, all such powers of the Company as are not expressly required to be exercised by the Company in General Meeting, and shall generally do all such acts and things as are or shall be by any Ordinance and by these presents directed and authorized to be exercised, given, made, or done by the Company and are not by any Ordinance or by these presents required to be exercised or done by the Company in General Meeting, subject, nevertheless, to the provisions of any such Ordinances and of these presents, and to such regulations and provisions (if any) as may from time to time be prescribed by the Company in General Meeting; but no regulations made by the Company in General Meeting shall invalidate any prior act of the Board which would have been valid if such regulation had not been made.

The generality of the powers conferred by any clause in these presents on the Directors shall not be taken to be limited by any clause conferring any special or express power.

107. The Directors shall have power to appoint a proctor or proctors, solicitor or solicitors, attorney or attorneys to assist in carrying on or protecting the business of the Company on such terms as they may consider proper, and from time to time to revoke such appointment.

108. The Directors shall have power to open from time to time on behalf of the Company any account or accounts with such bank or banks as they may select or appoint, and also by such signatures as they may appoint to draw, accept, make, endorse, sign, and execute cheques, bills of exchange, and promissory notes, bills of lading, receipts, contracts, agreements, bonds, mortgages, proxies to any proctor or proctors, and other documents on behalf of and to further the interests of the Company.

109. The seal of the Company shall not be affixed to any instrument except in the presence of two or more of the Directors, or of one Director and the Secretary or Secretaries who shall attest the sealing thereof; such attestation on the part of the secretaries, in the event of a firm being the secretaries, being signified by a partner of the said firm, signing for and on behalf of the said firm as such secretaries.

110. In furtherance and not in limitation of, and without prejudice to, the general powers conferred or implied in the last preceding clause, and of the other powers conferred by these presents, it is hereby expressly declared that the Directors shall have the powers following (that is to say) :—

- (a) To institute, conduct, defend, compromise, settle, or abandon any action, suit, prosecution, or other legal proceedings on behalf of the Company, and also to compound and allow time for payment or satisfaction of any debts due to or from the Company, and any claims or demands made by or against the Company.
- (b) To refer any claims or demands by or against the Company to arbitration and observe and perform or enforce the award.
- (c) To make and give receipts, releases, and other discharges for money payable to the Company, and for claims and demands by the Company.
- (d) To act on behalf of the Company in all matters relating to bankrupts and insolvents, with power to accept the office of trustee, assignee, liquidator, or inspector, or any similar office.
- (e) To invest any of the moneys of the Company which the Directors may consider not to be immediately required for the purposes thereof upon such securities and in such manner as they may think fit, and so that they shall not be restricted to such securities as are permissible to trustees without special powers, and from time to time to vary or release such investments.
- (f) To delegate to any one or more of the Directors of the Company for the time being, or any other person or company for the time being, residing or carrying on business in Ceylon or elsewhere, all or any of the powers or functions given to or exercisable by the Directors; and to confer such powers for such time and to be exercised for such objects and purposes, and upon such terms and conditions and with such restrictions as the Directors may think expedient, and to confer such powers either collaterally with or to the exclusion of, and in the substitution for, all or any of the powers of the Directors in that behalf, and from time to time to revoke, withdraw, alter, or vary all or any such powers. The Directors may allow to any person or company to whom any powers may be so delegated such remuneration as they in their absolute discretion shall think fit.
- (g) Before recommending any dividend, to set aside out of the profits of the Company, such sums as they think proper as a reserve fund to meet contingencies or for special dividends or for equalizing dividends or for repairing, improving, and maintaining any of the property of the Company, and for other purposes as the Directors shall in their absolute discretion think conducive to the interests of the Company, and to invest the several sums so set aside upon such investments as they may think fit, and from time to time deal with and vary such investments and dispose of all or any part thereof for the benefit of the Company, and to divide the reserve fund into such special funds as they think fit, and to employ the reserve fund or any part thereof in the business of the Company, and that without being bound to keep the same separate from their other assets.

#### PROCEEDINGS OF DIRECTORS.

111. The Directors may meet for the despatch of business, adjourn, and otherwise regulate their meetings at such places and times and in such manner as they may think fit, and determine the quorum necessary for the transaction of business. Until otherwise determined, two Directors shall be a quorum.

112. A Director may at any time summon a meeting of Directors.

113. The Board may elect a Chairman of their meetings and determine the period for which he is to hold office, and all meetings of the Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman, if one has been elected and is present, but if there be a vacancy in the office of Chairman, or if at any meeting of Directors the Chairman be not present at the time appointed for holding the same, then and in that case the Directors present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

114. Any question which shall arise at any meeting of the Directors shall be decided by a majority of votes, and in case of an equality of votes the Chairman thereof shall have a casting vote in addition to his vote as a Director.

115. The Board may delegate any of their powers to committees consisting of such member or members of their body as the Board think fit, and they may from time to time revoke and discharge any such committee, either wholly or in part, and either as to persons or purposes, but every committee so formed shall, in exercise of the powers delegated to it, conform to all such regulations as may be prescribed by the Board. All acts done by any such committee, in conformity with such regulations and in the fulfilment of the purposes of their appointment, but not otherwise, shall have the like force and effect as if done by the Board.

116. The meetings and proceedings of such committees shall be governed by the provisions herein contained for regulating the meetings and proceedings of Directors, so far as the same are applicable thereto, and are not superseded by the express terms of the appointment of such committee respectively, or any regulation imposed by the Board.

117. The acts of the Board and of any committees appointed by the Board shall, notwithstanding any vacancy in the Board or Committee, or defect in the appointment or qualification of any Director or of any member of the committee be as valid as if no such vacancy or defect had existed, and as if such person had been duly appointed or qualified, provided the same be done before the discovery of the vacancy or defect.

118. A resolution in writing, signed by all the Directors for the time being in Ceylon, shall be as valid and effectual as if it had been passed at a meeting of the Directors duly called and constituted.

119. The Directors shall cause minutes to be made in a book or books to be provided for the purpose—

- (1) Of all appointments of (a) officers and (b) committees made by the Directors.
- (2) Of the names of the Directors present at each meeting of the Directors.
- (3) Of the names of the members of the Committee appointed by the Board present at each meeting of the Committee.
- (4) Of all orders made by the Directors.
- (5) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all General Meetings of the Company.
- (6) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of the Directors.
- (7) Of all resolutions and proceedings of all meetings of committees appointed by the Board.

120. All such minutes shall be signed by the person who shall have presided as Chairman at the General Meeting, the Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting at which the business minuted shall have been transacted, or by the person who shall preside as Chairman at the next ensuing General Meeting, or Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, as the case may be; and all minutes purporting to have been signed by any Chairman of any General Meeting, Board Meeting, or Committee Meeting, respectively, shall, for all purposes whatsoever, be *prima facie* evidence of the actual and regular passing of the resolutions, and the actual and regular transaction or occurrence of the proceedings and other matters purporting to be so recorded, and of the regularity of the meeting at which the same shall appear to have taken place, and of the Chairmanship and signature of the person appearing to have signed as Chairman, and of the date on which such meeting was held.

## ACCOUNTS.

121. The Agent or Secretary or the Agents or Secretaries for the time being, or if there be no Agent or Secretary or Agents or Secretaries, the Directors shall cause true accounts to be kept of the paid up capital for the time being of the Company, and of all sums of money received and expended by the Company, and of the matters in respect of which such sums were received and expended, and of the assets, credits, and liabilities of the Company, and generally of all its commercial, financial, and other affairs, transactions, and engagements, and of all other matters necessary for showing the true financial state and condition of the Company. The accounts shall be kept in such books and in such a manner at the registered office of the Company as the Directors think fit.

122. The Directors shall from time to time determine whether and to what extent, and at what times and places and under what conditions or regulations the accounts and books of the Company or of any of them shall be open to the inspection of the Shareholders, and no Shareholder shall have any right of inspecting any account or book or document of the Company, except as conferred by statute or authorized by the Directors, or by a resolution of the Company in General Meeting.

123. At the Ordinary General Meeting in every year the Directors shall lay before the Company a statement of the income and expenditure of the Company for the previous financial year, and a balance sheet containing a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company made up to the end of the same period.

124. The statement so made shall show, arranged under the most convenient heads, the amount of gross income, distinguishing the several sources from which it has been derived, and the amount of gross expenditure, distinguishing the expense of the establishment, salaries, and other heads of expenditure. Every item of expenditure fairly chargeable against the year's income shall be brought into account, so that a just balance of profit and loss may be laid before the meeting, and in case where any item of expenditure which may in fairness be distributed over several years has been incurred in any one year, the whole amount of such item shall be stated, with the addition of the reasons why only a portion of such expenditure is charged against the income of the year.

125. The balance sheet shall contain a summary of the property and liabilities of the Company arranged under the heads appearing in the form annexed to the table referred to in Schedule C to "The Joint Stock Companies Ordinance, 1861," or as near thereto as circumstances admit.

126. Every such statement shall be accompanied by a report as to the state and condition of the Company, and as to the amount which the Directors recommend should be paid out of the profits by way of dividend or bonus to the Shareholders, and the statement, report, and balance sheet shall be signed by the Directors.

127. A printed copy of such balance sheet shall, at least seven days previous to such meeting, be delivered at or posted to the registered address of every Shareholder.

128. The accounts of the Company shall from time to time be examined, and the correctness of the balance sheet ascertained by one or more Auditor or Auditors.

## AUDIT.

129. No person shall be eligible as an Auditor who is interested otherwise than as a Shareholder in any transaction of the Company, but it shall not be a necessary qualification for an Auditor that he be a Shareholder of the Company, and no Director or officer of the Company shall, during his continuance in office, be eligible as an Auditor.

130. The Directors shall appoint the first Auditor of the Company and fix his remuneration. He shall hold office till the second General Meeting of the Company. All subsequent appointments shall, except as is hereinafter mentioned, be made at the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Company in each year by the Shareholders present thereat, and the Auditor or Auditors appointed at such meeting shall hold office only until the first Ordinary General Meeting after his or their appointments, or until otherwise ordered by a General Meeting.

131. The remuneration of the Auditors other than the first shall be fixed by the Company in General Meeting, and this remuneration may from time to time be varied by a General Meeting.

132. Retiring Auditors shall be eligible for re-election.

133. If any vacancy that may occur in the office of Auditor is not supplied at the next Ordinary General Meeting, or if any casual vacancy shall occur in the office of Auditor, the Directors shall fill up the vacancy by the appointment of a person who shall hold office until the next Ordinary General Meeting after his appointment.

134. Every Auditor shall be supplied with a copy of the balance sheet intended to be laid before the next Ordinary General Meeting after his appointment, and it shall be his duty to examine the same with the accounts and vouchers relating thereto and to report thereon to the meeting, generally or specially, as he may think fit.

135. The Auditor or Auditors for the time being shall have a list delivered to him or them of all books kept by the Company, and he or they shall at all reasonable hours in the day time have access to all accounts, books, and documents whatsoever of the Company for the purpose of audit.

## DIVIDENDS, BONUS, AND RESERVE FUND.

136. The Directors may, with the sanction of the Company in General Meeting from time to time, declare a dividend to be paid, and (or) pay a bonus to the Shareholders in proportion to the amount paid on their shares, but no dividend shall be payable except out of nett profits.

137. The Directors may, if they think fit, determine on and declare an interim dividend to be paid, or pay a bonus to the Shareholders on account and in anticipation of the dividend for the then current year.

138. The Directors may, before recommending any dividend or bonus, set aside out of the profits of the Company such a sum as they think proper as a reserve fund, and shall invest the same in such securities as they may with the sanction of the Company select, or shall place the same in fixed deposit in any bank or banks.

139. The Directors may from time to time apply such portions as they think fit of the reserve fund to meet contingencies, or for equalizing dividends, or for working the business of the Company, or for repairing, or maintaining, or extending the buildings and premises of the Company, or for the repair or renewal or extensions of the property or plant of the Company or any part thereof, or for any other purposes connected with the interest of the Company that they may from time to time deem expedient.

140. No unpaid dividend or bonus shall ever bear interest against the Company.

141. No Shareholder shall be entitled to receive payment of any dividend or bonus in respect of his share or shares whilst any moneys may be due or owing from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company in respect of such share or shares, or otherwise howsoever.

142. The Directors may deduct from the dividend or bonus payable to any Shareholder all such sums of money as may be due from him (whether alone or jointly with any other person) to the Company, and notwithstanding the fact that such sums or any of them are not payable until after the date when such dividend or bonus is payable.

143. Notice of any dividend that has been declared or of any bonus to be paid shall be given to each Shareholder entitled thereto, and any dividend or bonus unclaimed by any Shareholder for three years after notice thereof is given may be forfeited by the Directors for the benefit of the Company, and, if the Directors think fit, may be applied in augmentation of the reserve fund.

144. Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by a firm may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any partner of such firm or agent duly authorized to sign the name of the firm.

145. Every dividend or bonus payable in respect of any share held by several persons jointly other than a firm, may be paid to, and an effectual receipt given by, any one of such persons.

146. Any General Meeting declaring a dividend may direct payment of such dividend wholly or in part by the distribution of specific assets and in particular of paid up shares, debentures or debenture stock of the Company or of any other company or in any one or more of such ways, and the Directors shall give effect to such direction; and when any difficulty arises in regard to the distribution they may settle the same as they think expedient, and in particular may issue fractional certificates and may fix the value for distribution of such specific assets or any part thereof, and may determine that cash payments shall be made to any Shareholders upon the footing of the value so fixed in order to adjust the rights of all parties, and may vest any such specific assets in trustees upon such trusts for the persons entitled to the dividend as may seem expedient to the Directors. Where requisite a proper contract shall be filed, and the Directors may appoint any person to sign such contract on behalf of the persons entitled to the dividend, and such appointment shall be effective.

#### NOTICES.

147. Notices from the Company may be authenticated by the signature (printed or written) of the Agent or Secretary, Agents or Secretaries, or persons appointed by the Board to authenticate the same.

148. Every Shareholder shall give an address in Ceylon, which shall be deemed to be his place of abode, and shall be registered as such in the books of the Company.

149. A notice may be served by the Company upon any Shareholder, either personally or by being sent through the post in a prepaid letter addressed to such Shareholder, at his registered address or place of abode, and any notice so served shall be deemed to be well served, notwithstanding that the Shareholder to whom such notice is addressed be dead, unless his executors or administrators shall have given to the Directors, or to the Agent or Secretary, or Agents or Secretaries of the Company, their own or some other address to which notices may be sent.

150. All notices directed to be given to Shareholders shall, with respect to any share to which persons are jointly entitled other than a firm, be given to whichever of such persons is named first in the Register of Shareholders, and notice so given shall be sufficient notice to all the holders of such shares.

151. Any notice if served by post shall be deemed to have been served on the day on which the letter containing the same would in ordinary course of post have been delivered at its address, and in proving such service it shall be sufficient to prove that the letter containing the notice was properly addressed and put into a post office or post box, and the entry in the Company's books of the leaving or sending by post of any notice at or to such address shall be sufficient evidence thereof and no further evidence shall be necessary.

152. Every Shareholder residing out of Ceylon shall name and register in the books of the Company an address within Ceylon at which all notices shall be served upon him, and all notices served at such address shall be deemed to be well served. If he shall not have named and registered such an address, he shall not be entitled to any notices.

All notices required to be given by advertisement shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

#### ARBITRATION.

153. Whenever any question or other matter whatsoever arises in dispute between the Company and any other company or person, the same may be referred by the Directors to arbitration.

#### EVIDENCE.

154. On the trial or hearing of any action or suit brought or instituted by the Company against any Shareholder or his representatives to recover any debt or money claimed to be due to the Company in respect of his shares, it shall be sufficient to prove that the name of the defendant is or was, when the claim arose, on the Register of Shareholders of the Company as a holder of the number of shares in respect of which such claim is made, and that the amount claimed is not entered as paid in the books of the Company; and it shall not be necessary to prove the registration of the Company, nor the appointment of the Directors who made any call, nor that a quorum of Directors was present at the Board at which any call was made, nor that the meeting at which any call was made was duly convened or constituted, nor any other matter whatsoever, but the proof aforesaid shall be conclusive evidence of the debt.

#### PROVISION RELATIVE TO WINDING UP OR DISSOLUTION OF THE COMPANY.

155. Any Shareholder, whether a Director or not, and whether alone or jointly with any other Shareholder or Director, and any person not a Shareholder, may become the purchaser of the property of the Company or any part thereof in the event of a winding up or a dissolution or at any other time when a sale of the Company's property or effects or any part thereof shall be made by the Directors under the powers hereby or under the Ordinance conferred upon them.

In witness whereof the Subscribers to the Memorandum of Association have hereto set and subscribed their names at the places and on the days and dates hereafter written.

J. J. DICKSON.

Witness to the above signature, at Colombo, this 2nd day of November, 1916—

V. A. JULIUS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

H. S. JEAFFRESON.

EDWARD AITKEN (by his attorney H. S. JEAFFRESON)

R. FOWKE.

Witness to the above three signatures, at Colombo, this 3rd day of November, 1916—

V. A. JULIUS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

W. E. M. PATERSON.

A. J. HOWARD-SMITH.

G. ROSS BELL.

Witness to the above three signatures, at Colombo, this 6th day of November, 1916—

V. A. JULIUS,  
Proctor, Supreme Court, Colombo.

*S. 2152*  
*J. J. J.*  
**The New Colombo Ice Company, Limited.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Half-yearly General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company, will be held at the registered office of the Company, No. 11, Queen street, Fort, Colombo, on Friday, December 8, 1916, at 3 P.M.

**Business.**

1. To receive the report of the Directors and accounts for the half-year ended September 30, 1916.
2. To transact any other business that may be duly brought before the Meeting.

(The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from December 1 to 8, 1916, inclusive.)

By order of the Board,

BOIS BROTHERS & Co.,  
 Agents and Secretaries.

*S. 2153*  
**The Colonial Motor and Engineering Company, Ltd.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at its registered office, 4, Union Street, Colombo, on Monday, December 4, 1916, at 5 P.M., for the following purposes:—

- (a) To receive the report of the Directors and the accounts of the Company for the twelve months ending April 30, 1916.
- (b) To declare a dividend.
- (c) To elect Directors.
- (d) To elect Auditor or Auditors.

By order of the Board,

THE COLONIAL MOTOR AND ENGINEERING CO., LTD.,  
 JNO. S. DE SILVA,  
 Colombo, November 22, 1916. Secretary.

*S. 2154*  
**John N. Campbell, deceased.**

ALL persons owing money to or having claims against the late John Norman Campbell of Thornhill Park, Betterne, Hampshire, in England, and formerly of Ceylon, are requested to pay such moneys, or intimate such claims on or before December 31, 1916, to the executor of the will, Mr. V. A. Julius of Colombo.

JULIUS & CREASY,  
 Colombo, November 17, 1916. Proctors for Executor.

*S. 2155*  
**Auction Sale under Mortgage Decree of a valuable and flourishing Coconut Estate in Kurunegala District, near the Wellawa Railway Station.**

In the District Court of Colombo.

Kandabodage Don Thomas Weerasuria of Dematagoda ..... Plaintiff.

No. 44,930. Vs.

Herman Peter Weerasooria of Colpetty, in Colombo ..... Defendant.

I AM authorized by the District Court of Colombo, under and by virtue of the decree entered of record in the above case and the order to sell issued to me therein to sell by public auction on Saturday, December 16, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, on the spot, the following property primarily mortgaged with the plaintiff in the said case and declared bound and executable under the said decree for the payment of the sum of Rs. 16,287.50, with interest on Rs. 15,000 and costs of suit, to wit:—

All those several allotments of land lying in a contiguous block marked A, B, C, E, F, and G now forming one property called and known Gettuwanalabodahenyaya and Yodelle-watta, situated at Pubbawa, in Mahagalboda Megoda of Weudawili hatpattuwa of the District of Kurunegala, North-Western Province, and containing in extent (excluding a portion in extent 26 acres and 15 perches of the lot C aforesaid) 91 acres 1 rood and 11 square perches, more or less, together with the buildings, plantations, and all the live and dead stock thereon.

This property is within only 3 miles from the Wellawa Railway Station along the high road.

For further particulars and inspection of title deeds, &c., please apply to S. R. Amerasekera, Esq., the plaintiff's Proctor, or to—

G. EMANUEL DABERA,  
 Auctioneer and Broker.  
 No. 118, Hulftsdorp.

**Auction Sale.**

UNDER and by virtue of the decree entered in case No. 44,283, D. C., Colombo, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Saturday, December 16, at 2.30 P.M., at the respective spots the following properties declared bound and executable for the payment of the amount due under the said decree, to wit:—

1. All that undivided 5/12 shares of the land called Velabodawatta, situated at Ellalamulla, in the Udugaha pattu of Siyane korale, in the District of Colombo, Western Province; containing in extent 2 bushels of paddy sowing.
2. Undivided 1/16 shares of the land called Udawatta alias Kandabodawatta, situated at Ellalamulla aforesaid; containing in extent 2 acres.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Goonewardhane & Joseph, Proctors and Notaries, or the undersigned—

B. G. RODRIGO,  
 Auctioneer.  
 No. 98, Dam street, Colombo.

**Auction Sale of Negombo Town Property.**

UNDER decree in case No. 10,954, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Palamandadige James Fernando of Kuttiduwa, in Negombo, against the defendants (1) Veliweriyage Manual Perera and wife (2) Wenukulasuriya Juanwarnege Maria Fernando, both of Udayartoppu, in Negombo, and by virtue of the commission issued to me, for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction at the spot at 10 A.M., on Monday, December 18, 1916, an allotment of land called Diulgahawatta, situate at 2nd division, Udayartoppu, within the gravets of Negombo, in extent 24 perches, and the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from S. C. Sansoni, Esq., J. P., Proctor, Supreme Court, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,  
 Auctioneer.  
 Negombo, November 20, 1916.

*S. 2156*  
**Sale under Mortgage Decree of Properties at Morukkuliya and Thamberawila, in the District of Chilaw.**

UNDER and by virtue of the order issued to me in case No. 11,171, D. C., Negombo, Suna Pana Kana Nana Mutturilappa Pulle of Negombo vs. (1) Colombage Pedro Fernando and (2) Colombage Santiagu Fernando, both of Thamberawila, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction at the respective spots, on Monday, December 18, 1916, viz. :—

At 3.30 P.M.

(1) The land called Rukattanagahawatta, situate at Morukkuliya, in Otara palata of Pitigal korale, in extent about 1 acre and 1 rood.

At 3.45 P.M.

(2) The land called Rukattanagahawatta, situate at Morukkuliya aforesaid, in extent about 2 acres, of which the undivided 2/24 shares, with the undivided 2/4 shares of the tiled house standing thereon.

At 4.30 P.M.

(3) The portion of Maragahawatta, situate at Thambawila, in Otara palata of the said korale, in extent about 2 roods.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,  
 Auctioneer.  
 Negombo, November 20, 1916.

**Sale under Mortgage Decree of Property in the  
Chilaw District.**

UNDER decree in case No. 11,323, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Kana Nana Kana Vena *alias* Kuna Pana Rawanna Mana Ana Vena Vengadaselam Chetty, by his attorney Kuna Pana Rawanna Mana Ana Vena Alagappa Chetty of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Herat Mudalige Agidahamy, and husband (2) Warnakulasuriya Mahalekange Jagirius Fernando, both of Kolinjadiya, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned property by public auction, at the spot at 4 P.M., on Tuesday, December 19, 1916, viz. :—

Excluding the portion which the defendant sold heretofore of the  $\frac{1}{4}$  share from and out of the land called Kadumberiyagahawatta, situate at Kolinjadiya, in Kammal pattu of Pitigal korale south, the remaining divided portion in extent about 20 coconut trees plantable ground with the buildings standing thereon.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,

Negombo, November 20, 1916. Auctioneer.

**Sale under Mortgage decree of Properties at Dandugama.**

UNDER decree in case No. 11,060, D. C., Negombo, entered in favour of the plaintiff Thena Muna Rawanna Mana Vellayan Chetty of Negombo, against the defendants (1) Leanne James Perera, and wife (2) Haputantivige Theresia Fernando, (3) Thattage Anthony Fernando, and (4) Mutuwadige Marselinu Fernando, all of Dandugama, and by virtue of the order issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell the under-mentioned properties by public auction, at the respective spots, on Wednesday, December 20, 1916, viz. :—

At 3 P.M.

(1) The undivided  $\frac{3}{8}$  share of the portion of land called Welawatta, situate at Dandugama, in Ragampattu of Alutkuru korale, the entire portion in extent about  $\frac{1}{2}$  an acre more or less, together with the entire building standing thereon.

At 3.15 P.M.

(2) The undivided  $\frac{3}{7}$  shares of the land called Ketakellagahawatta, and of the buildings standing thereon, situate at ditto, in extent about 3 roods.

At 3.30 P.M.

(3) The undivided 8/14 shares of an undivided 1/40 share of the land called Ketakellagahawatta, situate at ditto, in extent about 1 acre.

At 3.45 P.M.

(4) The undivided 7/56 shares from and out of an undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the allotment of land called Ketakellagahawatta and the buildings standing thereon, situate at ditto, in extent about 1 acre.

At 4 P.M.

(5) The undivided 7/56 shares from and out of an undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Kotukumburaowita and of the buildings standing thereon, situate at ditto, in extent about 1 acre.

At 4.15 P.M.

(6) The undivided 7/56 shares from and out of the undivided  $\frac{1}{4}$  share of the land called Dangahaowita and of the buildings standing thereon, situate at ditto, in extent about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  acres.

Further particulars from D. L. E. Amerasinghe, Esq., Proctor, Supreme Court, and Notary, Negombo, or—

M. P. KURERA,

Negombo, November 20, 1916. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned lands belonging to the estate of the late Don Dinos Abesirinarayana Wanigaratna of Galahitiya, will be put up for sale first amongst the heirs and thereafter by public auction by the undersigned, as Commissioner appointed by the District Court of Tangalla in testamentary case No. 227. at the Resthouse at Walasmulla on December 8 and 9, 1916, commencing at 10 A.M.

P. E. KALUPAHANE,  
Commissioner.

November 15, 1916.

At Walasmulla.

1. The land called Galabendihena *alias* Gurugodella.
2. The field called Radawekumbura.
3.  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of Ambalamewewe Kongahakumbura.
4.  $\frac{1}{8}$  of Gurullamulewatta.
5. The land called Indiketiyawatta.

At Omara.

6. 1/12 share of Kongahawatta.

At Padda Ditiya.

7.  $\frac{1}{6}$  share of Mutunwatta.

At Mulkirigala.

8.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Wewagawawatta.
9.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Ketakalagahawatta.
10.  $\frac{1}{6}$  of Metihakkakumbura.

At Mahahiala.

11. The land called Kajjugahawatta.

At Puwakdandawa.

12.  $\frac{1}{6}$  of Welagawawatta.

At Galahitiya.

13.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of Ambagahalandowatta.
14. The land called Medakoratuwewatta.
15.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of Mutunwatta *alias* Badagawatta.
16.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Ruppewatta.
17.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of Badahela Mahawatta.
18. The land called Pittawelekoratuwa.
19. The land called Miambekoratuwa.
20. The land called Budeniyekoratuwa.
21. The land called Badawattakoratuwa.
22. The land called Budeniyekumbura.
23.  $\frac{2}{3}$  of Bakmigahadepela.
24.  $\frac{1}{10}$  of Maragahakumbura ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ).
25. The field called Akuressawa.
26. The fields called Rotemulla and Iswetiya.
27.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Bakmigahapotawa.
28.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Mahakumbura.
29. The field called Irikonda *alias* Palugahamulla.
30.  $\frac{1}{6}$  of Julgahakumbura *alias* Pandalayakumbura.
31.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of Ampitiyekumbura.
32.  $\frac{1}{6}$  of Galabadakumbura.
33.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Hirikumbura.
34.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of Watawanakumbura.
35. The land called Mikandemulla.
36. The field called Kongahakumbura.
37. The field called Darandekumbura.
38. The field called Toramulla.
39.  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the field called Pallemulana.
40.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Udumulana.
41.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Weketiye *alias* Udumulana.
42.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Aswala *alias* Egodapittenna.
43.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Medakella.
44.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Suriyagawa-atmaga.
45.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the land called Maragahalanda.
46. The entirety of the two portions of the land called Egodahawatta.
47.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Kongahamulana.
48.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Bakmigahadeniya.
49.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Liyangahadeniya.
50. The field called Dangahadeniya.
51.  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the field called Migahawela.
52. The field called Egodaha-amuna.
53. The land called Wattewelmandiya.
54. The field called Panguwapittenna *alias* Mahakumbura.
55.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Metiwalakumbura.
56. The land called Danehenewatta.
57. The land called Dam bagahawelawatta *alias* Pingurawelmaditta.

58.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Denagamayawatta.  
 59.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Kapuralagewatta.  
 60. The land called Woukandapita Mandiya.  
 61.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Palumestrigewatta.  
 62. The land called Dehigasmandiyewatta *alias* Don Dines Padinchihahitiyawatta and the two tiled houses of 13 cubits each standing thereon.  
 63. The land called Kongahawatta and the tiled house of 7 cubits standing thereon.  
 64. The land called Nugagahakoratuwa.  
 65. The land called Dodangahakoratuwa.  
 66. The land called Nawasigahakoratuwa.  
 67.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Babegewatta.  
 68. The land called Nohoragahakoratuwa.  
 69. The land called Lokurugemutunwatta.  
 70. The land called Godawanekoratuwa.  
 71.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the field called Dunhena.  
 72.  $\frac{1}{2}$  of Godakadurugahakoratuwa *alias* Randuhene-watta.  
 73. The land called Pepolghahena.  
*At Atuboda.*  
 74. The land called Weketiyeatmaga.  
 75. Two pelas extent of Ahangamayakumbura-atmaga.

**Auction Sale under the Partition Ordinance.**

*A valuable and well-situated land in the vicinity of Atuboda.*

BY virtue of a commission issued to me from the District Court of Galle, in partition case No. 11,057 of the said court, I shall put up for sale by public auction on Wednesday, January 10, 1917, at 2.30 P.M., at the spot:—

All that allotment of land called the Arakkumullawatta, situated at Urawatta in Madampe, in the Wellaboda pattu of Galle District, together with the plantations and buildings thereon, and containing in extent 3 roods and 9 perches.

The said allotment of land will be put up for sale in four separate blocks as shown in plan No. 355A made by Mr. John A. de Silva, Licensed Surveyor, first among the co-owners thereof commencing from the appraised value of each block, and if the same be not purchased by any of them at such sale I shall immediately thereafter put up the same among the public, in terms of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1863.

For further particulars apply to J. P. S. de Silva, Esq., Proctor and Notary Public, or to me—

GEO. A. WEERAKKODY,  
 Ambalangoda, November 21, 1916. Licensed Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

UNDER and by virtue of the decree in case No. 5,491 of the District Court of Kurunegala, entered in favour of the plaintiff *Deviyatna Moona Mohiyadeen Ibrahim Saibo of Dummalasoriya*, in Yagam pattu korale against the defendant *Singankutti Mudiyansefage Appuhamy*, late Korala of Digalla, in Katugampola korale, and by virtue of the Commission issued to me for the recovery of the amount therein stated, I shall sell by public auction at the spot at 2 P.M., on Saturday, December 9, 1916, all that allotment of land called Kongahamulawatta of about 20 acres in extent, with the buildings, plantations, and everything thereon, situate on the Kuliypitiya-Hettipola road, at Pidume *alias* Epaladeniya in Yatikaha korale, Katugampola hatpattu, in the Kurunegala District.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. F. N. & E. Daniels, Proctors and Notaries, Kurunegala, or to—

M. P. SOCKALINGAM PILLAI,  
 Kurunegala, November 2, 1916. Auctioneer.

**Auction Sale.**

In the District Court of Chilaw.  
 Muttu Weton Nallarakkupillai of Udappu . . . . . Plaintiff.  
 D. C. case No. 5,121. Vs.

(1) Arumugampillai Waira Muttupillai and his wife (2) Meenachchi, both of Pulichchakulam,  
 (3) Kumarasamy Nayakker, son of Ramasamy Nayakker presently at Tharakudivilla . . . . . Defendants.

UNDER and by virtue of the commission issued to us in the above case, we shall sell the under-mentioned properties

by public auction at the spots on Saturday, December 9, 1916, and Tuesday, December 12, 1916, commencing at 1.30 P.M. :—

On Saturday, December 9, 1916.

(1) The divided northern portion of the land called Akkaravillukadu, situated at Tharakudivilluwa, in Anai-villundan pattu of the District of Chilaw, containing in extent 2 acres.

(2) An undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Nallatambythotam, situated at Pulichchakulam, in Anai-villundan pattu of the District of Chilaw, in extent about 2 acres.

(3) The divided extent from and out of the land called Mundalamakele, situated at Mundel, in the District of Puttalam, in extent 5 acres.

On Tuesday, December 12, 1916.

(4) The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the allotment of the land called Akkarawelikany, situated at Akkaraweli, in the District of Puttalam, in extent 3 acres 1 rood and 10 perches

(5) The undivided  $\frac{1}{2}$  share of the land called Dharmakany, situated at Thatapola, in Akkarai pattu, in the District of Puttalam, in extent 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  acres.

T. M. CARRIM,  
 Chilaw, November 13, 1916. for Chilaw Agency.

**Dissolution of Partnership.**

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. J. Ratnasara, with whom I was carrying on business in partnership under the name, style, and firm of C. Jinasena & Co., has retired from the said business, and has by deed No. 800, dated November 9, 1916, attested by J. A. Perera, Esq., of Colombo, Notary Public, transferred and conveyed all his right, title, and interest in the said business to me.

The business will be carried under the name, style, and firm of C. Jinasena & Co., all debts due to the said business should be paid to me.

Colombo, November 11, 1916. C. JINASENA.

**Christ Church, Kurunegala.**

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Congregation of Christ Church, Kurunegala, will be held on Monday, December 4, at 6 P.M., in the Vestry of the said Church for the purpose of electing three Trustees for the year commencing on January 1, next ensuing.

The Vicarage, G. E. H. ARNDT,  
 Kurunegala, November 9, 1916. Incumbent.

**St. James's Church, Chilaw.**

A GENERAL MEETING of the Congregation of St. James's Church, Chilaw, will be held on December 17, 1916, at 6 P.M., in St. James's Schoolroom, Chilaw, for the election of Trustees for the year ending December 31, 1917, in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846.

W. P. THOMAS,  
 Chilaw, November 20, 1916. Clergyman in Charge.

**Application for Enrolment as a Proctor.**

SIX weeks hence, I, Henry Arthur Jayatileke, Proctor, of the District Court of Negombo, do hereby give notice that I shall apply to the Hon. the Chief Justice and the other Justices of the Hon. the Supreme Court of the Island of Ceylon to be admitted and enrolled a Proctor of the same Court.

Negombo, November 9, 1916. H. A. JAYATILEKE.

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

IN terms of section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, three months hence, I, the undersigned Pannala Appuhamillage Herath Dhanapala, of Pilikuttuwa, in Meda pattu of Siyane korale, shall apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled as a Notary Public, to practise in the Sinhalese language within the District of Negombo.

Pilikuttuwa, October 27, 1916. P. A. H. DHANAPALA.

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

I, ELANGANSINHA PUNCHI BANDA of No. 128, Colombo street, within the town and Municipality of Kandy, do hereby give notice in terms of section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that three months hence, I shall apply to the Registrar-General, to be admitted and enrolled as a Notary Public, to practise in the Sinhalese language in the District of Kandy.

No. 128, Colombo street, Kandy, E. P. BANDA.  
November 6, 1916.

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

I, the undersigned, Damunupola Appuhamillage John Perera Jayasekara, of Watinapaha, in Dasiya pattu of Alutkuru korale, do hereby give notice in terms of section 8

of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled as a Notary Public, to practise in Sinhalese language within the District of Kalutara.

Watinapaha, November 3, 1916.

J. P. JAYASEKARA

**Application for Enrolment as a Notary Public.**

I, DON MARTELIS PERERA RAJAPAKSENA SENANAYAKE, of Wadduwa, in Panadura totamune, in the District of Kalutara, do hereby give notice, in terms of section 8 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1907, that I shall, three months hence, apply to the Registrar-General to be admitted and enrolled as a Notary Public to practise as such in the District of Negombo in the Sinhalese language.

Wadduwa, November 15, 1916.

D. M. P. R. SENANAYAKE.

**MUNICIPAL COUNCIL NOTICES.**

**MUNICIPALITY OF COLOMBO.**

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Colombo, in terms of the 140th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of consolidated rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot at the time therein mentioned, unless in the meantime the amount of the consolidated rates and costs be duly paid.

C. W. BICKMORE,

Acting Financial Assistant to the Chairman,  
The Municipal Office, Municipal Council,  
Colombo, November 16, 1916.

**SCHEDULE.**

Date of Sale : Friday, December 15, 1916.

*St. Sebastian hill.*

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
17/20.47A	.. 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 7 A.M.
24.47D	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "
28.46	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.10 "
29.46	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "
30.46	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "
31.46	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "
32.46	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "
33.46	.. Do.	.. 7.35 "
<i>Hulstsdorp street.</i>		
40.137	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.40 A.M.
43.134	.. 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 7.45 "
47.130	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.50 "
49.128	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "
50.127	.. 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8 "
51.127	.. Do.	.. 8.5 "
52.126	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "
53.126	.. Do.	.. 8.15 "
60.119	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.20 "
<i>Belmont street.</i>		
86.21A	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.25 A.M.
87.21A	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
90.26	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
91.27	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "
103.34	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "
106.36A	.. Do.	.. 8.50 "
108.37	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
109.37A	.. Do.	.. 9 "
123.56	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "
126.60	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "
134.60	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "

Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
<i>Wilson street.</i>		
137.5	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.20 A.M.
142.10	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
143.13	.. Do.	.. 9.30 "
155.19	.. Do.	.. 9.35 "
156.20/21	.. Do.	.. 9.40 "
<i>Goat street.</i>		
161.1	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.45 A.M.
<i>Wilson street.</i>		
164.24	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.50 A.M.
166.27	.. Do.	.. 9.55 "
167.28	.. 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 10 "

Date of Sale : Saturday, December 16, 1916.

<i>Wilson street.</i>		
168.29	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7 A.M.
177.32	.. Do.	.. 7.5 "
178.33	.. Do.	.. 7.10 "
179.34	.. Do.	.. 7.15 "
180.35	.. Do.	.. 7.20 "
181.36	.. Do.	.. 7.25 "
182.37	.. Do.	.. 7.30 "
<i>Oilman street.</i>		
200.8	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.35 A.M.
<i>Wilson street.</i>		
203.63	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.40 "
204.64	.. Do.	.. 7.45 "
205.65	.. Do.	.. 7.50 "
209.72/73	.. Do.	.. 7.55 "
<i>Goat street.</i>		
211.16/17	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8 A.M.
212.12/15	.. 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8.5 "
213.11	.. Do.	.. 8.10 "
<i>Wilson street.</i>		
220.85	.. 3rd quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8.15 A.M.
226.90	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.20 "
227.91	.. Do.	.. 8.25 "
228.92	.. Do.	.. 8.30 "
229.93	.. Do.	.. 8.35 "
230.94	.. Do.	.. 8.40 "
231.95	.. Do.	.. 8.45 "
<i>Ferry street.</i>		
232.1	.. 1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.50 A.M.
233.2	.. Do.	.. 8.55 "
234.3	.. Do.	.. 9 "
235.3A	.. Do.	.. 9.5 "
238.5	.. Do.	.. 9.10 "
239.6	.. Do.	.. 9.15 "
240.7	.. Do.	.. 9.20 "
243.14	.. Do.	.. 9.25 "
246.18	.. 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9.30 "



Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.	Premises No.	Quarter and Year.	Time of Sale.
249.21/22 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9.35 A.M.	560/561/23 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.20 A.M.
250.23 ..	Do.	.. 9.40 ..	562.22 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8.25 ..
251.21/22 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.45 ..	563.21 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.30 ..
252.24A ..	Do.	.. 9.50 ..	569.11 ..	Do.	.. 8.35 ..
253.24B/25 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9.55 ..	570.10 ..	Do.	.. 8.40 ..
255.26 ..	Do.	.. 10 ..	573.7B ..	Do.	.. 8.45 ..
			579.3 ..	Do.	.. 8.50 ..
			850.3A ..	Do.	.. 8.55 ..
			582.1 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9 ..
<b>Date of Sale : Monday, December 18, 1916.</b>					
<i>Ferry street.</i>					
275.41 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7 A.M.	583.99 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.5 A.M.
278.42B ..	Do.	.. 7.5 ..	585.97 ..	Do.	.. 9.10 ..
280/282.42/42A.	4th quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 7.10 ..	586.96 ..	Do.	.. 9.15 ..
283/286.43 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 7.15 ..	587.95 ..	Do.	.. 9.20 ..
289.44A ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.20 ..			
290.44 ..	Do.	.. 7.25 ..	<i>Silversmith street.</i>		
291.45A ..	Do.	.. 7.30 ..	600.7B ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.25 A.M.
			603.21 ..	Do.	.. 9.30 ..
			603B.96 ..	Do.	.. 9.35 ..
306/309.1B ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.35 A.M.	603C.97 ..	Do.	.. 9.40 ..
310.1B ..	Do.	.. 7.40 ..			
			<i>Hulftsdorp street.</i>		
			607.77 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.45 A.M.
			<i>Messenger street.</i>		
			614.120 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.50 A.M.
			617.119 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9.55 ..
			618.118 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 10 ..
<b>Date of Sale : Wednesday, December 20, 1916.</b>					
			<i>Messenger street.</i>		
			625.113 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 7 A.M.
			631.105 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 7.5 ..
			632.104 ..	Do.	.. 7.10 ..
			640.97 ..	Do.	.. 7.15 ..
			641.96 ..	Do.	.. 7.20 ..
			642.95 ..	Do.	.. 7.25 ..
			648.88 ..	Do.	.. 7.30 ..
			649.87A ..	Do.	.. 7.35 ..
			657.80 ..	Do.	.. 7.40 ..
			658.79 ..	Do.	.. 7.45 ..
			659.78 ..	Do.	.. 7.50 ..
			668.670/71 ..	Do.	.. 7.55 ..
			676.67 ..	4th quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8 ..
			677.66 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.5 ..
			693.49 ..	4th quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8.10 ..
			694.49A ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.15 ..
			697.46A ..	Do.	.. 8.20 ..
			703.40 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8.25 ..
			708.35A ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.30 ..
			710.34 ..	3rd quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8.35 ..
			711.33 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.40 ..
			713.31 ..	Do.	.. 8.45 ..
			714.30 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 8.50 ..
			716.2S ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 8.55 ..
			719.24 ..	3rd quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9 ..
			724.19 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9.5 ..
			725.18 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.10 ..
			726.17 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 9.15 ..
			728.15 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 9.20 ..
			729.14 ..	Do.	.. 9.25 ..
			734.9 ..	Do.	.. 9.30 ..
			739.4 ..	Do.	.. 9.35 ..
			740.3 ..	Do.	.. 9.40 ..
			741.2 ..	Do.	.. 9.45 ..
<b>Date of Sale : Monday, December 18, 1916.</b>					
<i>New Moor street.</i>					
			918.133 ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 4 P.M.
			920.135 ..	Do.	.. 4.5 ..
			921.136 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 4.10 ..
			924.139A ..	1st and 2nd quarters, 1916	.. 4.15 ..
			925.140 ..	1st quarter, 1915, to 2nd quarter, 1916	.. 4.20 ..
			927.142 ..	2nd quarter, 1916	.. 4.25 ..

## MUNICIPALITY OF KANDY.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Chairman of the Municipal Council of Kandy, in terms of the 137th clause of the Ordinance No. 6 of 1910, for arrears of police and lighting rate due on account 4th quarter, 1915, on the premises, and of which particulars are given in the under-mentioned lists, will be sold by public auction on the spot in the order and time stated, unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and taxes and costs be duly paid.

List H/2.—On Wednesday, December 20, 1916, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

List I/2.—On Thursday, December 21, 1916, commencing at the first-named premises at 8 A.M.

By order,  
The Municipal Office, JAS. JAYATILEKE,  
Kandy, November 20, 1916. Secretary.

## LIST H/2.

## Ampitiya.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
26,	House and land	Dalada Maligawa
<i>Gregory road.</i>		
1A	Land	George Wijesekera
4	Do.	T. C. Fernando
<i>Hewahetta Talwatta.</i>		
4, 5, & 8	Houses and lands	Gangarama Vihare
13 & 14	Do.	Poulier
19	House and land	K. B. Dissanayaka
23	Do.	D. H. Abeyagunasekera
24, 24A to D	Houses and lands	Miss Mary Jayawardena
25 & 26	Land	D. H. Abeyagunasekera
27B & 28	House and land	W. Elisa Nona
29	Do.	D. H. Abeyagunasekera
32 & 33	Do.	T. P. Perera
34 & 35	Do.	Mrs. Allahakoon

## Madawela road.

No.	Description of Property.	Reputed Owner.
112 to 115	Houses and lands	Mrs. Sinna Tamby

## Uda Talwatta.

1	Field	Dalada Maligawa
2 & 3	Fields	Gangarama Vihare

## LIST I/2.

## Mapanawatura.

1	Land	Abdul Rahaman
7 & 8	Field and land	Gedige Vihare
9	House and land	G. Pina and others
10 & 11	Do.	do.
13	Do.	K. Kira
27	Do.	C. A. Smith
28	Do.	C. Smith
31	Field	G. Pina
38	Do.	G. Poola and G. Kiria
42	House and land	Gangarama Vihare
43	Do.	A. Menika
44	Do.	R. Sirimala
46	Do.	A. Kiria and K. Punchia
47	Do.	A. Kiria
48	Do.	R. Sirimala
50	Land	K. Kira
56	House and land	R. Sirimala
66	Land	R. Unga
74	Field	R. Sirimala
75A	Do.	K. Sirimala
77	Do.	A. Kiria
79	Do.	A. Menika
83	Do.	Gangarama Vihare
86 & 87	Do.	K. Siripina
91	Do.	I. L. P. Mohamado Lebbe
93 & 94	Do.	Mrs. A. Sinna Tamby
114	House and land	do.
116	Field	Saval Hameedu Kathibu
117	Do.	Akurana Kathibu

## MUNICIPALITY OF GALLE.

## Minutes of Proceedings of a General Meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle held in the Municipal Office on Saturday, October 14, 1916.

THE Council met this day at 2 P.M., pursuant to notice dated October 7, 1916.

Present:—The Hon. Mr. R. B. Hellings, Chairman; Mr. D. G. Goonewardena; Mr. H. M. Makan Markar; Mr. D. W. Subesingha; Mr. C. E. de Vos; Mr. G. E. Abeywardena; and Mr. A. C. Hayley.

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting of Council held on September 16, 1916, a copy of which was sent to each Councillor, were taken as read.

Resolved—That the Minutes of the General Meeting of Council of September 16, 1916, be confirmed.

2. The Chairman's Administration Report for 1915.

Mr. D. G. Goonewardena moved that the report be adopted. Mr. A. C. Hayley seconded.—Carried unanimously.

3, 4, and 5. Extracts from the Minutes of the Meetings of the Standing Committees on Municipal Works, Finance and Assessment and Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of October 14, 1916.

3.—Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee of Municipal Works of October 14, 1916.

(4) Applications to lay private water service to No. 11, Chando street, and No. 113, Colombo-Galle road.—Approved and recommended to Council.

(5) Application to extend existing private water service to No. 22, Leyn Baan street. Approved and recommended to Council.

(6) Applications to lay private water service to No. 28, Pettigalawatta, and No. 3, China Garden.—Approved and recommended to Council that the services be allowed on payment of Rs. 2 each per quarter.

(7) Application to erect four storage tanks to be connected with the existing private water service at "Closenberg." Resolved—That the Council be recommended to allow the erection of one storage tank of 200 gallons capacity, subject to the provision of automatic closing apparatus which is to be inspected frequently.

(8) Papers re sale of ironwork of old Bope Bridge.

Resolved—That the offer of Rs. 150 made by the District Engineer, Galle, be accepted.

4.—Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment of October 14, 1916.

(3) Sales of rents of stalls in the (1) fruit market, (2) fish market, (3) green market, (4) rooms in verandah of meat market, (5) Dewatta market, (6) betel sheds opposite (a) District Court, (b) Police Court, (c) fruit market, (7) bathing and drinking wells in Talbot town, and (8) house rubbish.

Resolved—That the sales be approved.

## 5.—Extracts from the Minutes of the Meeting of the Standing Committee on Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of October 14, 1916.

(2) Sale of rents of stalls in (1) green market, (2) fish market, (3) fruit market, (4) rooms in verandah of meat market, (5) Dewatta market, (6) betel sheds opposite (a) District Court, (b) Police Court, (c) fruit market, (7) bathing and drinking wells in Talbot town, and (8) house rubbish.

Resolved by a majority of 2 to 1 that the sales be approved.

(3) Papers *re* slaughter of animals by private license in the Fort.

Resolved—That the application for private license be made to the Chairman 72 hours before the date the slaughtering is to take place, and if the premises in which the slaughtering is to take place is suitable, a license will be issued.

Resolved—That the extracts from the Minutes of the Meetings of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works of October 14, 1916, be approved.

4 and 5. Resolved—That extract 3 of the Standing Committee on Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of October 14, 1916, be approved. As regards extract 3 of the Standing Committee on Finance and Assessment and extract 2 of the Standing Committee of Regulation of Markets and Sanitation of October 14, 1916, Mr. D. W. Subasingha moved that the sales of the rents of the stalls in the fish market be not sanctioned, but postponed for consideration at the next Meeting of the Council.

The motion was not seconded, whereupon the Council resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committees be approved.

6. With reference to the petition from K. H. Sugathadasa and others *re* price of fish in the fish market, Mr. D. W. Subasingha moved that the sale of the 4 per cent. commission to a renter be discontinued, when Mr. D. G. Goonewardena rose to a point of order and stated that as the petition was only laid on the table a motion cannot be brought forward at that Meeting. The Chairman upheld the point of order raised, when Mr. Subasingha undertook to submit a motion on the subject for the next Meeting of Council.

7. With the permission of Council, letter No. 1,242 dated October 7, 1916, from the Government Agent, Southern Province, *re* building of a signal station, observation tower, and officers' quarters terrace, &c., on the ramparts was brought up for consideration. Mr. A. C. Hayley moved that Government be requested to defer any action on the site selected, and to be so good as to authorize the Director of Public Works and Commander Stainer to meet the Council with a view to discussing the suitability of other sites, and that pending the visit of the Director of Public Works and Commander Stainer to Galle that the Council be provided with the details of the requirements of the site. Mr. C. E. de Vos seconded.—Carried unanimously.

Resolved—That the following do served as a Special Committee (two to form a quorum) to meet the Director of Public Works and Commander Stainer and report on the matter generally.

Messrs. D. G. Goonewardena; C. E. de Vos; and A. C. Hayley.

8. The following documents were laid on the table :—

- (1) Petition from S. K. Sugathadasa and others *re* price of fish in the fish market.
- (2) Statement of Receipts and Disbursements to end of September, 1916.
- (3) Progress Report of Works done on Estimates to end of September, 1916.
- (4) Report of Inspector of Vehicles and Animals on carriages plying for hire during the month of September, 1916.
- (5) Diaries of (a) Medical Officer of Health; (b) Superintendent of Works; and (c) Manager of the Health Department.

The Municipal Office,  
Galle, November 11, 1916.

Confirmed :

R. B. HELTINGS,  
Chairman.

## A.—Statement showing the Total Receipts and Disbursements to end of October, 1916.

REVENUE.	Amount.		Actual		EXPENDITURE.	Amount		Actual Dis-	
	Estimated.	Rs. c.	Receipts.	Rs. c.		Estimated.	Rs. c.	bursements.	Rs. c.
Taxes ..	27,620	0	27,924	50	Non-effective charges ..	34,141	31	25,566	47
Assessment ..	59,800	0	49,148	40	Chairman ..	500	0	416	68
Licenses ..	11,885	0	12,544	0	Secretariat ..	20,251	95	16,139	44
Judicial fines ..	2,000	0	3,104	32	Vehicle and Animal Department ..	1,518	0	739	52
Tolls ..	17,945	0	17,945	0	Judicial ..	610	0	446	25
Slaughter-houses ..	1,530	0	1,684	44	Markets ..	764	0	616	0
Health Department ..	8,050	0	7,798	56	Fish auction shed ..	1,920	0	1,724	44
Markets ..	16,462	0	18,281	89	Slaughter-houses ..	1,110	0	1,016	96
Rents ..	1,004	0	848	50	Fire Brigade ..	1,500	0	1,093	41
Miscellaneous ..	1,455	0	2,768	31	Town clock ..	220	0	91	5
Cemeteries ..	300	0	261	50	Lighting ..	13,000	0	9,094	95
Waterworks ..	2,535	0	2,413	41	Cemetery ..	860	0	645	79
Total Revenue ..	150,586	0	144,722	83	Public Health Department :—				
Deposits ..	—	—	122,580	51	Sanitation Branch ..	10,925	70	6,875	0
Advances repaid ..	—	—	—	—	Scavenging Branch ..	13,804	0	11,446	61
Total Receipts ..	—	—	267,303	34	Conservancy ..	15,162	0	12,068	89
Cash balance on January 1, 1916 ..	—	—	34,600	8	Waterworks ..	9,972	0	9,104	99
					Public Works Department :—				
					Annually recurrent ..	22,073	88	14,768	31
					Extraordinary ..	2,250	0	2,623	84
					Building a new bridge over the Keppu-ela ..	—	—	1,251	59
					Total Expenditure ..	150,582	84	115,730	19
					Deposits repaid ..	—	—	103,461	50
					Advances ..	—	—	33	25
					Total Disbursements ..	—	—	219,224	94
					Cash balance on Octobet. 31, 1916 ..	—	—	82,678	48
Total ..	—	—	301,903	42	Total ..	—	—	301,903	42

## B.—Surplus and Deficit Account.

	Amount. Rs. c.		Amount. Rs. c.
Expenditure from January 1 to Oct. 31, 1916	115,730 19	Surplus on January 1, 1916	27,117 4
Surplus on October 31, 1916	56,109 68	Revenue from January to October, 1916	144,722 83
<b>Total</b>	<b>171,839 87</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>171,839 87</b>

## C.—Balance Sheet as at October 31, 1916.

LIABILITIES.		Amount. Rs. c.	ASSETS.		Amount. Rs. c.
Deposits	..	26,602 5	Cash in Bank:—		
Surplus	..	56,109 68	Fixed deposits	..	4,010 0
			Current account (Rs. 80,939·36— Rs. 2,320·88)	..	78,618 48
			Cash in hand of Shroff	..	50 0
			Advances	..	33 25
<b>Total</b>		<b>82,711 73</b>	<b>Total</b>		<b>82,711 73</b>

The Municipal Office,  
Galle, November 11, 1916.

LESLIE L. LUDOWYK,  
Acting Secretary.

## Supplemental Budget No. 1 for 1916.

## RECEIPTS.

	Rs.	c.
Cash balance on December 31, 1915	34,600	8
Less amount in deposit account	7,483	4
<b>Total available</b>	<b>27,117</b>	<b>4</b>

## DISBURSEMENTS.

	Rs.	c.
Add vote No. 1, Pensions	44	0
Do. 10, Allowances	100	0
Do. 17, Refunds	100	0
Do. 25, Miscellaneous	500	0
Do. 26, Rents	120	0
Do. 42, Salaries	120	0
Do. 44, Grass for cattle and goats in pound	75	0
Do. 59, Contingencies	100	0
Do. 64, Buckets and lids	500	0
Do. 73, Maintenance and repairs, Hiyare Service road	340	0
Do. 75, Repairs to mains	15	0
Do. 77, Private house service connections	400	0
Do. 85, Tools	181	0
Do. 90, Upkeep of drainage, Fort	225	0
Do. 93, Minor works	210	0
Do. 95, New carts	1,350	0
Vote 95a, Estimate No. 61, Building new bridge over Keppu ela	5,000	0
	9,380	0
Balance	17,737	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>27,117</b>	<b>4</b>

The Municipal Office,  
Galle, November 16, 1916.

By order,  
D. M. MOREIRA,  
Secretary.

Estimate of Probable Receipts and Proposed Expenditure of the Galle Municipality for the Financial Year 1917,  
as passed by the several Standing Committees on Thursday, November 2, 1916.

		REVENUE.			
		Estimated for 1917.		Estimated for 1917.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>I.—TAXES.</b>					
1	Commutation under Road Ordinance	16,000	0	33	Fish stalls in markets
2	Taxes on vehicles and animals	11,000	0	34	Fish auction shed
3	Taxes on vehicles and animals, costs	20	0	35	Meat market bazaars
4	Taxes on motor vehicles	1,500	0	36	Green market bazaars
		28,520	0	37	Fruit market bazaars
<b>II.—ASSESSMENT ACCOUNT.</b>					
5	Lighting rate	9,900	0	38	Refuse meat market bazaars
6	Assessment rate	33,000	0	39	Fort market
7	Water-rate	23,700	0	40	Dewatta market
8	Consolidated rate	6,800	0	41	Kaluwella market
9	Lighting, assessment, water, and consoli- dated rate, costs	2,000	0	42	Betel sheds
		75,400	0	43	Private markets
<b>III.—LICENSES.</b>					
10	Stamp duty on carriages for hire	200	0		
11	Stamp duty on hackeries for hire	1,200	0		
12	Stamp duty on jinrickshas for hire	250	0		
13	Stamp duty on carts for hire	1,700	0		
14	Stamp duty on boats for hire	450	0		
15	Stamp duty on firearms	80	0		
16	Stamp duty on intoxicating liquors	4,000	0		
17	Stamp duty on butchers' licenses	50	0		
18	Stamp duty on Supreme Court Proctors	750	0		
19	Stamp duty on District Court Proctors	270	0		
20	Stamp duty on Notaries' certificates	320	0		
21	Licenses for sale of poisons	5	0		
22	Licenses to auctioneers and brokers	500	0		
23	Licenses for removal and storage of petroleum	200	0		
24	Licenses for offensive and dangerous trades	125	0		
25	Licenses motor vehicles, hiring, and drivers' licenses	600	0		
		10,700	0		
<b>IV.—FINES.</b>					
26	Judicial fines	3,000	0		
<b>V.—TOLLS.</b>					
27	Compensation by Government for tolls	17,945	0		
<b>VI.—SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.</b>					
28	Slaughter-house fees	500	0		
29	Pounding and feeding cattle and goats	1,000	0		
30	Special licenses to slaughter cattle, goats, and pigs	30	0		
		1,530	0		
<b>VII.—HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>					
31	Sale of disinfectants	25	0		
32	Conservancy of dry-earth closets	9,000	0		
		9,025	0		
<b>VIII.—MARKETS.</b>					
33	Fish stalls in markets	1,233	0		
34	Fish auction shed	9,000	0		
35	Meat market bazaars	500	0		
36	Green market bazaars	3,090	0		
37	Fruit market bazaars	2,483	0		
38	Refuse meat market bazaars	120	0		
39	Fort market	350	0		
40	Dewatta market	210	0		
41	Kaluwella market	75	0		
42	Betel sheds	510	0		
43	Private markets	400	0		
		17,971	0		
<b>IX.—RENTS.</b>					
44	Bathing and drinking wells, Talbot town	76	0		
45	Room in pavilion	24	0		
46	Pavilion	60	0		
47	Encroachment—ticket of occupancy	40	50		
48	Boutiques and verandahs of boutiques in meat market bazaars	550	0		
49	Fruit trees	620	0		
		1,370	50		
<b>X.—MISCELLANEOUS.</b>					
50	Sale of fare tables	50	0		
51	Sale of metal tickets for dogs	20	0		
52	Sale of building applications	15	0		
53	Sale of unserviceable articles	25	0		
54	Interest	750	0		
55	Fees for testing weights and measures	15	0		
56	Fees for notice boards	60	0		
57	Sundry receipts	250	0		
58	Surplus account from sale of unclaimed stray cattle	25	0		
59	Sale of scavenging rubbish	50	0		
60	Licenses to graze cattle	400	0		
61	Fees for decorations, pandals, &c.	200	0		
62	Registration of dogs	550	0		
63	Motor vehicles registration and transfer fees	100	0		
64	Sales of empty kerosine oil tins and cases	240	0		
		2,750	0		
<b>XI.—CEMETERY.</b>					
65	Burial fees, &c.	300	0		
<b>XII.—WATERWORKS.</b>					
66	House service connections	700	0		
67	Sale of water	1,600	0		
68	Rent of meters	140	0		
69	Fixing meters	30	0		
70	Sundry receipts	30	0		
		2,500	0		
		9,025	0	Grand Total	171,011 50

		EXPENDITURE.			
		Estimated		Estimated	
		for 1917.		for 1917.	
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<b>NON-EFFECTIVE CHARGES.</b>					
1	Pensions .. .. .	3,696	31		
2	Fee for audit of accounts .. .. .	1,000	0		
3	Maintenance of police .. .. .	33,452	0		
4	Interest and sinking fund on loan for water-works .. .. .	3,500	0		
5	Interest and sinking fund on loan for sanitary improvements .. .. .	2,255	0		
6	Interest and sinking fund on loan for new water supply scheme .. .. .	9,000	0		
7	Contribution to Friend-in-Need Society .. .. .	250	0		
		53,153	31		
<b>I.—SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF DEPARTMENTS.</b>					
8	Chairman .. .. .	500	0		
<b>II.—SECRETARIAT.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
9	Salaries .. .. .	9,356	90		
10	Allowances .. .. .	1,200	0		
11	Commission to road tax collectors .. .. .	1,350	0		
12	Assessing and selling properties, &c. .. .. .	400	0		
13	Commission to lighting rate collectors .. .. .	600	0		
14	Commission to assessment rate collectors .. .. .	2,000	0		
15	Commission to water-rate collectors .. .. .	1,600	0		
16	Commission for collection of consolidated rate .. .. .	1,000	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
17	Refunds .. .. .	200	0		
18	Advertisements .. .. .	350	0		
19	Printing .. .. .	2,000	0		
20	Stationery .. .. .	400	0		
21	Furniture .. .. .	50	0		
22	Uniform coats for peons .. .. .	18	0		
23	Petty expenses .. .. .	150	0		
24	Miscellaneous .. .. .	500	0		
25	Rents .. .. .	650	50		
26	Government Gazette and other books of reference .. .. .	20	0		
27	Telephone .. .. .	125	0		
28	Commission for revising assessment .. .. .	2,000	0		
		23,970	40		
<b>III.—VEHICLES AND ANIMALS DEPARTMENT.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
29	Salaries .. .. .	180	0		
30	Allowances .. .. .	8	0		
31	Commission to vehicle and animal tax collectors .. .. .	50	0		
32	Inspectors' uniforms, &c. .. .. .	35	0		
33	Commission on fines to Inspectors .. .. .	75	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
34	Badges, tin and enamelled plates, fare tables, tickets for dogs, tickets for grazing cattle, painting and numbering of carriages .. .. .	500	0		
35	Seizure and destruction of dogs .. .. .	250	0		
36	Refunds .. .. .	10	0		
		1,108	0		
<b>IV.—JUDICIAL.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
37	Salaries .. .. .	500	0		
38	Allowance .. .. .	560	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
39	Costs in legal proceedings .. .. .	50	0		
		1,110	0		
<b>V.—MARKETS.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
40	Salaries .. .. .	744	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
41	Uniform coats for market masters .. .. .	20	0		
		764	0		
<b>VI.—FISH AUCTION SHED.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
42	Salaries .. .. .	2,094	0		
<b>VII.—SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
43	Salaries .. .. .	420	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
44	Grass for cattle and goats .. .. .	650	0		
		1,070	0		
<b>VIII.—FIRE BRIGADE.</b>					
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
45	Maintenance, improvements, &c. .. .. .	750	0		
<b>IX.—TOWN CLOCK.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
46	Salaries .. .. .	120	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
47	Repairs, &c. .. .. .	100	0		
		220	0		
<b>X.—LIGHTING.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
48	Salaries .. .. .	540	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
49	Lighting coolies .. .. .	1,800	0		
50	Lighting, cost of lamps, &c. .. .. .	7,980	0		
		10,320	0		
<b>XI.—CEMETERY.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
51	Salaries .. .. .	420	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
52	Coolies .. .. .	270	0		
53	Upkeep of cemetery, &c. .. .. .	50	0		
		740	0		
<b>XII.—PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.</b>					
<b>Sanitation Branch.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
54	Salaries .. .. .	7,007	60		
55	Allowances .. .. .	1,330	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
56	Prevention of infectious diseases .. .. .	2,000	0		
57	Uniforms for Inspectors .. .. .	100	0		
58	Contingencies .. .. .	150	0		
59	Analysis of water and food stuffs .. .. .	100	0		
60	Rat destruction .. .. .	500	0		
		11,137	60		
<b>Scavenging Branch.</b>					
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>					
61	Salaries .. .. .	870	0		
<i>Other Charges.</i>					
62	Coolies and conservancy, Victoria Park .. .. .	6,594	0		
63	Contingencies .. .. .	200	0		
64	Scavenging (draught cattle and drivers) .. .. .	6,240	0		
		13,904	0		

	Estimated for 1917. Rs. c.		Estimated for 1917. Rs. c.
<b>Conservancy Branch.</b>		<b>XIV.—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.</b>	
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>		<i>Annually Recurrent.</i>	
65 Salaries .. .. .	1,608 0	<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>	
66 Allowances .. .. .	210 0	86 Salaries .. .. .	4,500 0
67 Commission to latrine fees collector .. .. .	550 0	87 Allowances .. .. .	660 0
<i>Other Charges.</i>		<i>Public Works Annually Recurrent.</i>	
68 Coolies, conservancy, latrines .. .. .	5,670 0	88 Watering streets .. .. .	400 0
69 Buckets and lids .. .. .	1,500 0	89 Whitewashing Municipal buildings .. .. .	400 0
70 Disinfectants .. .. .	1,000 0	90 Repairs to carts .. .. .	500 0
71 Coir dust and transport .. .. .	780 0	91 Tools .. .. .	100 0
72 Digging trenches and construction of roads at night-soil depôt .. .. .	300 0	92 Upkeep of roads .. .. .	12,000 0
73 Contingencies .. .. .	200 0	93 Upkeep of Municipal buildings .. .. .	500 0
74 Draught cattle and drivers .. .. .	3,744 0	94 Upkeep of bridges .. .. .	900 0
	15,562 0	95 Clearing canals .. .. .	750 0
<b>XIII.—WATERWORKS DEPARTMENT.</b>		96 Upkeep of drainage, Fort .. .. .	200 0
<i>Personal Emoluments.</i>		97 Upkeep of drainage, suburbs .. .. .	400 0
75 Salaries .. .. .	2,275 0	98 Repairs to buildings, &c., in the segregation camp and infectious diseases hospital, Dadalla .. .. .	500 0
76 Allowances .. .. .	1,120 0	99 Planting shade trees .. .. .	300 0
<i>Other Charges.</i>			22,110 0
77 Turn cocks, &c. .. .. .	1,080 0	<i>Public Works Extraordinary.</i>	
78 Weeding Bikke and Hiyare grounds .. .. .	950 0	100 Minor works .. .. .	250 0
79 Maintenance and repairs of approach roads, Hiyare and Bikke .. .. .	450 0	101 Keppu-ela retaining wall .. .. .	2,000 0
80 Maintenance of buildings, Hiyare and Bikke .. .. .	50 0	102 New carts (scavenging, night-soil hand, and water .. .. .	2,220 0
81 Repairs, &c., to mains, including materials and tools .. .. .	250 0		4,470 0
82 Upkeep of reservoir embankment, dam, tower, &c. .. .. .	100 0		
83 Labour, materials, &c., for house service connections .. .. .	600 0		
84 Fixing and upkeep of meters .. .. .	100 0		
85 Improvement to existing service, scraping mains, &c. .. .. .	1,000 0		
	7,975 0		
		<b>Grand Total ..</b>	<b>170,958 31</b>

## SUMMARY.

	Rs.	c.
Revenue .. .. .	171,011	50
Expenditure .. .. .	170,958	31
Balance ..	53	19

## Pensions.

Name.	Office on Retirement.	Amount.	
		Rs.	c.
J. Amarasekera .. .. .	Superintendent of Works and Head Inspector	833	33
A. B. Wittensleger .. .. .	Inspector .. .. .	500	0
J. G. Paranawitana .. .. .	3rd Clerk .. .. .	210	43
L. H. D. Abraham .. .. .	Overseer, Health Department	88	0
D. G. Johannes .. .. .	Inspector .. .. .	387	50
O. S. Markar .. .. .	Head Clerk and Accountant	1,283	33
S. L. M. Ahamado .. .. .	Shroff .. .. .	237	72

## Long Service Allowance.

G. Cornelis .. .. .	Latrine Cooly .. .. .	36	0
D. C. A. Jayawardene .. .. .	Overseer, Victoria Park .. .. .	60	0
F. M. Perera .. .. .	Overseer, Pettigala canal .. .. .	60	0*
		3,696	31

## Detailed Statement of Municipal Staff, their Salaries, Increments, and Allowances.

Name of Officer.	Present Post.	Date of First Appointment.	Salary.						Allowance.	
			Commencing.	Maximum.	On Dec. 31, 1916.	Increment, 1917.	Date of Commencement of Increment.	For 12 Months, 1917.	Nature of:	Amount.
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
The Hon. Mr. R. B. Hellings	Chairman	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Commuted travelling Vote 8	500 0
SECRETARIAT.										
D. M. Moreira	Secretary	1-9-06	1,920 0	4,000 0	3,300 0	100 0	1-1-17	3,400 0	Commuted travelling	480 0
L. L. Ludowyke	Head Clerk and Accountant	1-9-89	1,250 0	1,800 0	1,700 0	100 0	1-7-17	1,750 0	—	—
F. D. S. Abeyratne	2nd Clerk	14-12-08	900 0	1,250 0	940 0	40 0	1-4-17	970 0	—	—
S. G. de Alwis	3rd Clerk	1-1-05	750 0	900 0	750 0	36 0	23-2-17	780 60	—	—
D. M. D. Abeygoonewardene	4th Clerk	19-10-11	240 0	500 0	312 0	36 0	19-10-17	319 30	—	—
D. G. Boderagama	5th Clerk	17-7-14	240 0	500 0	256 45	—	—	276 0	—	—
M. A. Marikar	6th Clerk	22-5-16	240 0	500 0	240 0	—	—	240 0	—	—
K. S. M. Lebbe	Shroff	1-10-15	756 0	900 0	750 0	36 0	1-10-17	759 0	—	—
W. W. Johannes Wijesinghe	Arachchi	1-1-94	180 0	250 0	250 0	—	—	250 0	—	—*
W. T. Hinni Appoo	Peon	1-5-01	120 0	180 0	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—*
W. T. Endris Appoo	do.	6-6-07	120 0	180 0	150 0	—	—	150 0	—	—
M. W. Hamis Appoo	do.	16-10-11	120 0	180 0	122 50	12 0	16-10-16	132 0	—	—
N. Charles	Office cooly	21-5-08	120 0	150 0	150 0	—	—	150 0	—	—*
Six collectors of rates and taxes at Rs. 120 each	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Commuted travelling Vote 10	720 0
VEHICLES AND ANIMALS DEPARTMENT.										
Vacant	Inspector	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	—	180 0	Boot allowance	8 0
JUDICIAL.										
Municipal Magistrate	Municipal Magistrate	—	500 0	—	—	—	—	500 0	—	—
H. A. Soerts	Council Lawyer	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	500 0*
W. W. Johannes Wijesinghe	Process Server	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	60 0*
MARKETS.										
K. A. Sadris	Market Master and Slaughter-house Keeper, Kaluwella	1-4-12	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—
D. S. Wickremesinghe	Market Master, Bazaars	1-8-04	300 0	360 0	360 0	—	—	360 0	—	—*
M. Hinni Babun	Cooly, Kaluwella	—	—	—	120 0	—	—	120 0	—	—
G. L. James	Cooly, Bazaars	—	—	—	60 0	—	—	60 0	—	—
K. Deonis	Cooly, Fort	—	—	—	24 0	—	—	24 0	—	—
FISH AUCTION SHED.										
F. Vanderputt	Accounting Clerk	1-9-13	510 0	540 0	510 0	30 0	1-1-17	540 0	—	—
R. Jansen	do.	—	510 0	—	510 0	—	—	510 0	—	—
D. G. Johanis	do.	24-7-14	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—
W. W. D. Wijesinghe	Crier	1-9-13	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—
C. Wijewardena	do.	—	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—
Thegris Silva	Watcher	11-2-14	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—
V. W. Andris Appoo	do.	2-2-16	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—
K. L. L. Dias	Cooly	16-3-16	144 0	—	144 0	—	—	144 0	—	—
SLAUGHTER-HOUSE.										
M. M. Hassen	Slaughter-house Keeper	1-10-16	300 0	420 0	300 0	—	—	300 0	—	—
—	Cooly	—	120 0	—	120 0	—	—	120 0	—	—
TOWN CLOCK.										
D. J. Dewasurendera	Keeper	27-9-12	120 0	—	120 0	—	—	120 0	—	—
LIGHTING.										
B. Jayawardene	Overseer	1-7-16	360 0	—	360 0	—	—	360 0	—	—
K. A. Sadris	do.	1-11-16	360 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	—

\* On maximum.



Detailed Statement of Municipal Staff, their Salaries, Increments, and Allowances—*contd.*

Name of Officer.	Present Post.	Date of First Appointment.	Salary.						Allowance.	
			Commencing.	Maximum.	On Dec. 31, 1916.	Increment, 1917.	Date of Commencement of Increment.	For 12 Months, 1917.	Nature of.	Amount.
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
GENERAL CEMETERY.										
Vacant	Keeper	—	420 0	600 0	—	—	—	420 0	—	
							Vote 51	240 0	—*	
Jonis	Cooly	—	120 0	150 0	—	—	—	150 0	—	
Kalua	do.	—	120 0	—	—	—	—	120 0	—	
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT. Sanitation Branch.										
C. Rajagopal	Medical Officer of Health	17-2-16	3,600 0	6,000 0	3,600 0	240 0	17-2-17	3,808 57	Commuted travelling	
W. W. Ranasinghe	Clerk	20-2-14	240 0	500 0	276 0	—	—	276 0	—	
O. L. Jansz	Inspector	10-6-98	516 0	750 0	660 0	—	—	660 0	House Rs. 78, boot Rs. 8	
A. H. Nallawangsa	do.	24-4-99	516 0	750 0	660 0	—	—	660 0	House Rs. 78, boot Rs. 8	
C. G. E. Ferreira	do.	13-5-13	420 0	720 0	456 0	—	—	456 0	House Rs. 108, boot Rs. 8	
C. A. Anthonisz	do.	3-3-13	420 0	720 0	456 0	—	—	456 0	House Rs. 108, boot Rs. 8	
H. T. W. Dissanayeke	do.	1-4-13	420 0	720 0	420 0	36 0	20-2-17	451 3	House Rs. 78, boot Rs. 8	
M. A. Diyias	Poon	—	120 0	120 0	120 0	—	—	120 0	—	
Vacant	Caretaker, Segregation Camp	—	120 0	120 0	120 0	—	—	120 0	—*	
Vacant	Stock Inspector	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Allowance	
							Vote 54	7,007 60	Vote	
									1,330 0	
Scavenging Branch.										
J. Baultjens	Overseer	1901.	240 0	300 0	300 0	—	—	300 0	—*	
E. V. Deonis de Silva	do.	—	210 0	—	210 0	—	—	210 0	—	
R. E. de Silva	do.	1-1-13	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	
D. Ramon	do.	13-1-16	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	
							Vote 61	870 0		
Kalu Appoo	Scavenging cooly	—	132 0	—	132 0	—	—	132 0	—	
Coolies 14 at Rs. 150 each	Scavenging coolies	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Coolies 14 at Rs. 120 each	do.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Coolies 10 at Rs. 108 each	do.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Coolies 10 at Rs. 72 each	do.	—	—	—	5,580 0	—	—	5,580 0	—	
M. Baron	Cartshed watcher	—	150 0	—	150 0	—	—	150 0	—	
—	Esplanade cooly	—	132 0	—	132 0	—	—	132 0	—	
—	Victoria park	—	—	—	600 0	—	—	600 0	—	
							Vote 62	6,594 0		
Conservancy Branch.										
C. R. de Silva	Manager, Health Department	15-1-14	720 0	720 0	720 0	—	—	720 0	Commuted travelling	
O. de Silva	Overseer	5-9-07	300 0	360 0	240 0	—	—	240 0	—	
A. de A. Jayawardena	do.	15-10-12	300 0	—	300 0	—	—	300 0	—	
P. Pedris	Kangany	5-10-07	180 0	—	168 0	—	—	168 0	—	
K. Hinni Appoo	do.	15-5-16	180 0	—	180 0	—	—	180 0	—	
							Vote 65	1,608 0	Vote 66	
									210 0	
Cooly, night-soil depôt	Cooly, night-soil depôt	—	150 0	—	150 0	—	—	150 0	—	
Nine coolies at Rs. 180 each	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,620 0	—	
Twenty-six coolies at Rs. 150 each	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,900 0	—	
							Vote 68	5,670 0		
WORKS DEPARTMENT.										
F. R. E. Nicholas	Superintendent of Works and Head Inspector	16-7-96	2,500 0	4,000 0	3,700 0	100 0	1-1-17	3,800 0	Commuted travelling	
F. C. Madawala	Head Overseer	16-6-13	600 0	1,000 0	700 0	—	—	700 0	Bicycle allowance	
							Vote 86	4,500 0	Vote 87	
									660 0	

\* On maximum.

† Increment stopped and salary reduced.

‡ Salary reduced by Rs. 12.

Detailed Statement of Municipal Staff, their Salaries, Increments, and Allowances—*contd.*

Name of Officer.	Present Post.	Date of First Appointment.	Salary.					Allowance.		
			Commencing.	Maximum.	On Dec. 31, 1916.	Increment, 1917.	Date of Commencement of Increment.	For 12 Months, 1917.	Nature of.	Amount.
			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.		Rs. c.		
<b>WATER-WORKS DEPARTMENT.</b>										
F. R. E. Nicholas	Superintendent of Works	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Commuted	1,000 0
Vacant	Clerk and Store-keeper	—	360 0	600 0	—	—	—	360 0	—	—
J. G. D. Abeyasinghe	Overseer	1-9-11	600 0	1,000 0	750 0	75 0	1-9-17	775 0	—	120 0
M. J. D. Hendrick Silva	Overseer, Hiyare	1-9-11	360 0	360 0	—	—	—	360 0	—	—*
R. Mohamado	Fitter	14-10-11	480 0	480 0	—	—	—	480 0	—	—*
Hendrick Appu	Messenger	—	150 0	—	—	—	—	150 0	—	—
—	Office and Store cooly	—	150 0	—	—	—	—	150 0	—	—
							Vote 75	2,275 0	Vote 76	1,120 0
Three turncocks at Rs. 180 each	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	540 0	—	—
Three coolies, Hiyare, at Rs. 180 each	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	540 0	—	—
							Vote 77	1,080 0	—	—

\* On maximum.

## Taxes proposed to be levied in 1917.

Description of Taxes.	Maximum leviable under the Ordinance.	Amount at present levied.	Amount proposed to be levied.	Authority under which levied.
1 Assessment rate within police limits	—	5 per cent. on annual value of property	8½ per cent. on annual value of property	Section 115 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910
2 Lighting rate within police limits	—	2 per cent. on annual value of property	3½ per cent. on annual value of property	do.
3 Water-rate within police limits	—	6 per cent. on annual value of property	6 per cent. on annual value of property	Section 115 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910; also section 4 of Ordinance No. 18 of 1891 as regards the Fort
4 Consolidated rate outside police limits, but within municipal limits	—	7 per cent. on annual value of property.	7 per cent. on annual value of property	Section 115 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
5 Carriages other than carts, hackeries, or jinrickshas, each	5 0	5 0	5 0	Section 127 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910.
6 Carts and handcarts, each	4 0	4 0	4 0	
7 Jinrickshas, each	2 50	2 0	2 50	
8 Bicycle (or tricycle) car or cart, each	3 0	1 0	3 0	
9 Horses, ponies, or mules, each	2 50	2 50	2 50	
10 Bullocks or asses, each	1 0	1 0	1 0	
11 Registration of dogs	1 50	1 0	1 50	Section 5 of Ordinance No. 25 of 1901

12. A tax payable under section 129 of Ordinance No. 6 of 1910 in six days' labour, or a sum of Rs. 2 in commutation of such labour, and such further labour and money commutation as is provided for under the provisions of "The Road Ordinance, 1861," and of the amending Ordinance No. 31 of 1884.

The Municipal Office,  
Galle, November 2, 1915.

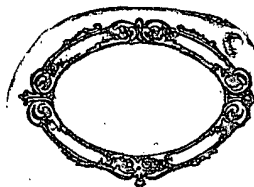
By order,  
D. M. MOREIRA,  
Secretary.

## TRADE MARKS NOTICES.

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Application No. 1,095.

IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Arthur Alvis, Esq., of No. 3, Billo street, Colombo, has applied for the registration of the following Trade Mark in the name of The Fellows Medical Manufacturing Company, Incorporated, of 26, Christopher street, New York, United States of America, Chemical Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors thereof in respect of laxative tablets for human use in Class 3 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—



*Arthur Alvis*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 15, 1916.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,147.

*Free*  
IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. John Yates & Company, Limited, of Edge Tool Works, Aston Manor, Birmingham, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of cutlery and edge tools in Class 12 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

THE BURGESS

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 22, 1916.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,148.

*Free*  
IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that Messrs. John Yates & Company, Limited, of Edge Tool Works, Aston Manor, Birmingham, Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of metal goods included in Class 13 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

THE BURGESS

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 22, 1916.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,149.

*Free*  
IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that the United Chemists Association, Limited, of Priory Court, London road, Cheltenham, England, Chemists, Pharmacists, and Chemical and Pharmaceutical Manufacturers, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of chemical substances prepared for use in medicine and pharmacy in Class 3 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

UCAL

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 22, 1916.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Registrar-General.

Application No. 1,150.

*Free*  
IN compliance with the provisions of "The Trade Marks Ordinances, 1888 to 1904," as amended by the Ordinances Nos. 9 of 1906 and 15 of 1908, and the Regulations made on June 1, 1906, notice is hereby given that the Standard Oil Company (New Jersey), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New Jersey, doing business at Bayonne, New Jersey, United States of America, who claim to be the proprietors of the following Trade Mark, have applied for the registration of the same in their name in respect of medicinal and curative preparations of all classes in Class 3 in the Classification of Goods in the above-mentioned Regulations :—

Nujol

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 22, 1916.

W. L. KINDERSLEY,  
Registrar-General.





### LOCAL BOARD NOTICES.

#### Vehicle and Animal Tax, Local Board, Trincomalee.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board, Trincomalee, that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 36 of the Local Boards Ordinances, 1898, 1901, and 1905, has resolved that an annual tax be imposed for the year 1917 on all carriages, carts, hackeries, horses, ponies, mules, bullocks, asses, and bicycles kept or used within the town for which such Board is constituted and which are not (as respects carts, carriages, coaches, and bicycles) referred to in section 29 of the Ordinance No. 13 of 1898 at the rates specified in the schedule hereto annexed:—

	Rs. c.
Carriages .. .. .	2 50
Cart or hackery .. .. .	0 50
Horse, pony, or mule .. .. .	1 0
Bullock or ass .. .. .	0 25
Bicycle .. .. .	1 0

Local Board Office, G. S. WODEMAN,  
Trincomalee, November 13, 1916. Chairman.

#### Assessment Tax, Local Board, Trincomalee.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Trincomalee has, in terms of section 30 of the Local Boards Ordinances, 1898, 1901,

and 1905, as amended by section 2 (2) of Ordinance No. 19 of 1905, made and assessed for the year 1917 a rate of 5 per cent. on the annual value of all houses and buildings of any description and of all lands and tenements whatsoever within the limits of the Local Board of Trincomalee, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid section.

Local Board Office, G. S. WODEMAN,  
Trincomalee, November 13, 1916. Chairman.

#### Commutation Tax, Local Board, Trincomalee.

NOTICE is hereby given to persons residing within the limits of the Local Board of Trincomalee that the Board, acting under the provisions of section 34 of the Local Boards Ordinances, 1898, 1901, and 1905, has resolved that on account of the year 1917 a tax, payable in six days' labour, be imposed upon all persons residing within the limits of the said Board, who, if the Ordinance No. 31 of 1884 had not been passed, would have been liable, under the provisions of the Ordinance No. 10 of 1861, to the performance of labour for the maintenance of roads or other public means of communication by land or by water.

Such labour may be commuted by a money payment of Re. 1.50 on or before March 31, 1917.

Local Board Office, G. S. WODEMAN,  
Trincomalee, November 13, 1916. Chairman.

### NOTIFICATIONS UNDER "THE PATENTS ORDINANCE, 1906."

#### Amended Notice.

THE following Specification has been accepted:—

No. 1,509 of September 15, 1916.

*Sampathawadu Manukulasuriya Bastian Peter Mendis.*

"A process for the manufacture and separation of potash salt from vegetable ash without the use of acids."

Abstract:—

The inventor states:—

I burn any kind of vegetable material, such as wood, wood wastes, coconut branches, coconut husks, or coir dust till it is reduced to ash. Before the fire has died out, on this layer of ash I place a second layer of the vegetable material and burn that in the same way till this is also reduced to ash. As in the first case, before the fire has died out, a third layer of vegetable material is superimposed on the resultant ash of the first two burns, and the process is repeated by burning the third layer. This process of burning fresh layers of vegetable material on the ash is repeated and continued from time to time. The effect of the repeated burning of fresh material over the residuary ash is to separate the potash salt in the ash which collects into masses and lumps. The process of repeated burnings must be continued till a sufficient quantity of potash salt is produced. Thus the potash salt is separated from the ash without the use of acids.

I have stated above that the layers of fresh vegetable material should be placed on the ash resulting from the previous burn before the fire has died out. This is the most convenient method of carrying out my process, but the latter can be as effectually carried out by placing fresh layers of material on ash from which the fire has died out, and by lighting it afresh.

The claim is:—

In the manufacture and separation of potash salt from vegetable ash, the process of repeated and successive burnings of layers of vegetable material till reduced to ash substantially as described, each fresh layer of material being placed on and burnt on the ash resulting from the previous burnings till potash salt is separated and formed as described.

E. HUMAN,  
Registrar of Patents.

### ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.

#### Huluganga-Bambraela Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Monday, December 11, 1916, at Knuckles, at 3 P.M.:—

#### Business.

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1917.

Knuckles Group,  
Madulkele, October 13, 1916.

J. PERCY HORTIN,  
Chairman, Local Committee.

**Rangala-Nitre Cave Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Saturday, November 25, 1916, at Rangala Drill Shed, at 9 A.M.

*Business.*

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the moiety of cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1917.

Rangala estate,                      WILLIAM SINCLAIR,  
Rangala, October 7, 1916.              Chairman, Local Committee

**Dimbula Branch Roads.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, at meeting of the Local Committee for the roads mentioned below will be held on December 4, 1916, at Glenlyon Club House at 3.30 P.M.

*Business.*

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the under-mentioned roads and Glenlyon, Waverley, Henfold, and Kowlahena bridges;
- (b) The sections of the roads used by these estates;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

for the assessment of the moieties of the cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1917.

Lindula-Agra road.  
Railway Gorge road.  
Wallaha road.

Balmoral Estate,                      F. W. LE FEUVRE,  
Agrapatanas, October 14, 1916.              Chairman, Local Committee.

**Padiapellella-Ellamulla Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, a meeting of the Local Committee for the above road will be held on Friday, December 1, 1916, at Ellamulla bungalow, at 11 A.M.

*Business.*

To consider and report to the Provincial Road Committee, with regard to—

- (a) The names of the estates (with their acreages) which are interested in and which use the road;
- (b) The sections of the road used by these estates;
- (c) The names of the proprietors, resident managers, or superintendents, and of the agents of these estates—

For the assessment of the moiety of the cost of maintenance for the year ending September 30, 1917.

Kabragala estate,                      HENRY G. LYELL,  
Maturata, November 21, 1916.              Charman, Local Committee.

**Embilmegama-Alagalla Estate Cart Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Provincial Road Committee, Central Province, acting under the provisions of section 24 of the Estate Roads Ordinance, No. 12 of 1902, and in accordance with a resolution passed at their

meeting on the 18th instant, have assessed the proportion due by the under-mentioned estates for the cost of improvement of the portion of road from 4th milepost to the 5½ milepost of the above road to make up the contribution of Rs. 5,400, as follows :—

1st and 2nd sections, ¾ mile from 4 to 4½ mile.			
Acreage, 170—Cost, Rs. 3,510·41—Rate per acre, Rs. 20·6494.			
	Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Amount.
		Acreage.	Rs. c.
P. J. Benwell	..	Andiatenna .. 170 ..	3,510 41
3rd and 4th sections, ½ mile from 4½ mile to 5½ mile.			
Acreage, 610—Cost, Rs. 1,889·59—Rate per acre, Rs. 30·9768.			
P. J. Benwell	..	Andiatenna .. 170 ..	526 61
Tismode Estates Co. (W.			
R. Hancock, Manager)	Tismode .. 440 ..		1,362 98
			5,400 0

*Abstract.*

	Rs.	c.
Andiatenna estate	..	4,037 2
Tismode estate	..	1,362 98
		5,400 0

which sums the proprietors, managers, or agents of estates are hereby required to pay to the Chairman, Local Committee Mr. P. J. Benwell), on or before December 2, 1916.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, C. S. VAUGHAN,  
Kandy, November 21, 1916.                      Chairman.

**Mallowapitiya-Rambadagalla Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the following gentlemen have been elected to act as members of the Local Committee for the Mallowapitiya-Rambadagalla road under the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, for the term of two years ending November 11, 1918.

Messrs. J. S. Patterson (Chairman), T. Y. Wright, H. A. McMullin, F. N. Daniels, and A. A. Barnes.

A. N. HUTT,  
Office of the Provincial Road Committee,              Secretary.  
Kurunegala, November 15, 1916.

**Closing a Resthouse.**

ON and after December 31, 1916, the resthouse, Bilihuloya, Sabaragamuwa, will be closed.

The Provincial Road Committee, A. N. STRONG,  
Ratnapura, November 2, 1916.                      Secretary.

**Gevillipitiya-Hatgampola Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for twelve months from October 1, 1916, to September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 2 P.M. at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions :—

GEVILLIPITIYA-HATGAMPOLA BRANCH ROAD.	
(Estimate D 168 of October 11, 1916.)	
Government moiety	.. Rs. 600
Private contributions	.. Rs. 612

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
L. W. A. de Soysa	.. Yellangowrie	.. 440
W. L. Strachan (Rubber Estates of Ceylon, Ltd., Agents)	.. Debatgama	.. 540
Rubber Estates of Ceylon (The Galaha Ceylon Tea Estates and Agency Co., Agents)	.. Urakanda	.. 647
	Total	.. 1,627

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, A. N. STRONG,  
Ratnapura, November 20, 1916. for Chairman.

#### Road from Parakaduwa Railway Station to Hemmingford Estate.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for twelve months from October 1, 1916, to September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 2 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### ROAD FROM PARAKADUWA RAILWAY STATION TO HEMMINGFORD ESTATE.

(Estimate D 148 of October 11, 1916.)

Government moiety	.. Rs. 600	
Private contributions	.. Rs. 612	
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
The General Tea Estates, Limited	.. Hemmingford Group	1,062
G. A. Talbot	.. Digowa	.. 410
Manikanda Rubber Co., Ltd., (Carson & Co., Agents)	.. Manikanda	.. 396
A. J. R. de Soysa	.. Tatuwalakanda	.. 200
The Grand Central Rubber Company	.. Meegastenna	.. 132
J. K. Hormusjee	.. Maryland	.. 59
		2,259

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, A. N. STRONG,  
Ratnapura, November 20, 1916. for Chairman.

#### Glenalla-Havilland Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for twelve months from October 1, 1916, to September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 2 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### GLENALLA-HAVILLAND BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate No. D 159 of October 11, 1916.)

Government moiety	.. Rs. 1,750
Private contributions	.. Rs. 1,785

#### 1st section.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Darley Butler & Co.	.. Glenalla	.. 246

1st to 3rd section.		
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
George Steuart & Co.	.. Waharaka	.. 565

#### 1st to 4th section.

Darley Butler & Co.	.. Havilland	.. 525
Punchirala Arachehi, heir of Adikarirallaye Appuhami	.. Pitakele	.. 44
E. B. Creasy & Co.	.. Dedugalla	.. 382
Charles Laing	.. Maskaloya	.. 155
Darley Butler & Co.	.. Gangwarilly	.. 425
T. A. Periasamy Pillai	.. Kelvin	.. 944
George Hunter	.. Oonankanda	.. 153
Do.	.. Uduwa	.. 50
		3,489

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, A. N. STRONG,  
Ratnapura, November 20, 1916. for Chairman.

#### Balangoda-Chetnole Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road for twelve months from October 1, 1916, to September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 2 P.M., at their office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

#### BALANGODA-CHETNOLE BRANCH ROAD.

(Estimate D 349, sanctioned October 19, 1916.)

Government moiety	.. Rs. 1,100
Private contributions	.. Rs. 1,122

#### 1st to 4th section.

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
S. Welapillai and W. Suppramaniam	.. Lady Smith and Alpha	.. 80
M. Sinnatamy	.. Wewawatta	.. 81
H. and N. Worship	.. Morahela	.. 353
F. S. Hill and heirs of H. M. Seel	.. Walawe	.. 362

#### 1st to 7th section.

The Anglo-American Direct Tea Trading Co., Ltd.	.. Meddakanda	.. 803
Do.	.. Rassagala	.. 1,505½
P. L. Palavasanpillai	.. Selvawatta	.. 82
		3,266½

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, A. N. STRONG,  
Ratnapura, November 20, 1916. for Chairman.

#### Ratnapura-Malwala Ferry Branch Road.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of the under-mentioned road from October 1, 1916, to September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896,



will on Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 2 P.M., at their Office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

**RATNAPURA-MALWALA FERRY BRANCH ROAD.**  
(Estimate D 147, sanctioned October 11, 1916.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 3,500  
Private contributions .. Rs. 3,570

1st section, 2 miles.		
Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
The Mahawala Tea Estates Co., Ltd.	Mahawala	1,551
2nd section, 3 miles.		
Saffragam Tea and Rubber, Ltd.	Carney	530
Lansdowne Rubber Co., Ltd. (Carson & Co., Agents)	Lansdowne	721
M. D. S. Silva, Winyatt's, Gregory's road, Colombo	Silvaland	506
Mrs. N. D. B. Silva, Guildford house, Cinnamon gardens, Colombo	Agarsland	469
The Consolidated Tea and Lands Co., Ltd.	Galboda	742
Do.	Hapugastenna group	3,393
Do.	Alupolla	2,496
W. D. Holland, A. H. Allenby	Dikimukalana	200
Total		10,608

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Ratnapura, November 20, 1916. **A. N. STRONG,**  
for Chairman.

**Dehiowita-Algodra Branch Road.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council, having agreed to grant the under-mentioned sum for the maintenance of

the under-mentioned road for twelve months from October 1, 1916, to September 30, 1917, the Provincial Road Committee of the Province of Sabaragamuwa, acting under the provisions of section 23 of the Branch Roads Ordinance, No. 14 of 1896, will on Wednesday, December 20, 1916, at 2 P.M., at their Office in Ratnapura, proceed to assess the under-mentioned estates to make up the private contributions:—

**DEHIOWITA-ALGODA BRANCH ROAD.**  
(Estimate No. D 158 of October 11, 1916.)

Government moiety .. Rs. 500  
Private contributions .. Rs. 510

Proprietors or Agents.	Estates.	Acreage.
Rajawala Produce Co., Ltd. (Gordon Fraser & Co., Agents)	Densworth	552
Panawala Tea Co., Ltd., (Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	Ernan and Glassel	1,344
Nahalma Tea Estates Co. (Bosanquet & Co., Agents)	Nahalma	692
Woodend Tea & Rubber Co., Ltd. (Lewis Brown & Co., Agents)	Woodend	992
Sitawaka Tea and Rubber Co. (Carson & Co., Agents)	Maldeniya	618
Panawatta Tea Rubber Co. (Whittall & Co., Agents)	Yogama	1,621
J. A. Symons, Colombo	Loolpola and Clearings	52
Nallo Kankaney of Degalassa	Maliyagoda	100
G. D. Salman Appuhamy, Dehiowita	Ambagampola	50
A. A. Thabrew, Dehiowita	Puhuwalagama	50
Pindeniya Rubber and Tea Estates Ltd. (Henderson & Co., Agents)	Réucastle	340
Total		6,411

And at the same time and place the Committee will take evidence, if necessary, and receive and consider objections and suggestions.

Provincial Road Committee's Office, Ratnapura, November 20, 1916. **A. N. STRONG,**  
for Chairman.